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OF

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BY THE

PUNJAB VIDHAN SABHA

DURING

ITS FIRST SESSION, 2012

WITH

APPENDICES CONTAINING DAILY

BULLETINS AND

COMMITTEES OF THE VIDHAN SABHA



PUNJAB VIDHAN SABHA SECRETARIAT, CHANDIGARH.

July 2012

PREFACE

The following pages contain Resume of Business transacted by the Fourteenth Vidhan Sabha during its First Session, 2012 held from 19th March, 2012 to 28th March, 2012, together with the Bulletins issued daily after the adjournment of each Sitting of the Sabha.

2. It is hoped that the publication would be found useful by the Members and others who may wish to know in detail what work was done each day by the Vidhan Sabha in the above mentioned Session.

3. Any suggestion for further improvement of this publication in future would be very gratefully welcomed.

Chandigarh :
The July 20th, 2012

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SECRETARY

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1. SUMMONING SITTINGS AND PROROGATION OF THE VIDHAN SABHA

The Fourteenth Punjab Vidhan Sabha was summoned by an Order of the Governor, dated the 16th March, 2012 to meet for its First (1st) Session in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha Hall, Vidhan Bhawan, Chandigarh at 2.00 P.M. on the 19th March, 2012 and it continued to meet till the 28th March, 2012 when it adjourned *sine-die.* It was later prorogued by an Order of the Governor dated the 30th April, 2012.

During the Session, the Sabha held six Sittings.

2. PROGRAMME OBSERVED

Date		Programme observed
Monday, the 19th March, 2012 (2.00 P.M. to 3.46 P.M.)	1.	Announcements made by the Secretary regarding- i) Appointment of Doctor Charnjit Singh Atwal, MLA under Article 188 of the Constitution before whom the Members shall make and subscribe Oath/Affirmation; ii) Appointment of Doctor Charnjit Singh Atwal, MLA under Article 180 (I) of the Constitution of India to perform the duties of the office of the Speaker; and iii) Laying a copy of the Notification issued by the Election Commission of India showing the names of the Members of the 14th Punjab Vidhan Sabha.
	2.	Oath or Affirmation by the Members.
Tuesday, the 20th March, 2012 (10.00 A.M. to10.59 A.M.)		Election of Speaker and Deputy Speaker.
Wednesday, the 21st March, 2012 (10.00 A.M.)		Governor's Address to the Members of the Punjab Vidhan Sabha.

Date	*Programme observed*
Thursday, the 22nd March, 2012 (10.A.M. to 10.18A.M)	1. Announcement made by the Speaker regarding decision of the BusinessAdvisory Committee to offer tributes to the bereaved souls by Hon'ble Speaker only on the pattern of Lok Sabha to which the entire House gave its consent. 2. Obituary references were made to the deaths of- 1. Shri Chiranji Lal Sharma Ex-M.P. & Ex.M.L.A.; 2. Sardar Santokh Singh Randhawa, Ex-Minister; 3. Sardar Jagmohan Singh Gill, Ex-M.L.C; 4. Sardar Kanwarjit Singh Brar, Ex-M.L.A; 5. Doctor Jodh Singh, Ex-M.L.A; 6. Sardar Bachan Singh Pakho, Ex-M.L.A; 7. Shri Hans Raj Arya, Ex-M.L.A; 8. Sardarni Manjit Kaur, W/o Sardar Ranjit Singh Brahampura, Ex-Minister; 9. Shri Labh Singh, Freedom Fighter; 10. Shri Teja Singh, Feedom Fighter, 11. Shri Sewa Singh, Freedom Fighter 12. Shri Faquir Chand, Freedom Fighter 13. Shri Mukhtiar Singh, Freedom Fighter;

Date	Programme observed
	14. Shri Surat Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	15. Shri Ajmer Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	16. Shri Gurdial Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	17. Shri Pritam Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	18. Shri Chanan Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	19. Shri Chander Shekher, Freedom Fighter;
	20. Shri Bakhtawar Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	21. Shri Bachan Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	22. Shri Kapoor Singh Virk, Freedom Fighter;
	23. Jathedar Verma Singh Khanpur, Freedom Fighter;
	24. Shri Chhanchal Singh Babak, Freedom Fighter;
	25. Shri Kapoor Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	26. Sardar Sampuran Singh Cheema, Akali Leader;
	27. Shri Kuldeep Manak, Famous Punjabi Folk Singer;
	28. Sardar Jung Singh Sidhu, F/o Sardar Balbir Singh Sidhu, MLA; and
	29. Sardar Sajjan Singh Dhillon, F/o Sardar Kewal Singh Dhillon, MLA.

Date	Programme observed
Friday, the 23th March, 2012 Saturday, the 24th March, 2012 Sunday, the 25th March, 2012	Holidays
Monday, the 26th March , 2012 (2.00 P.M. to 6.30 P.M.)	1. Announcement made by the Speaker regarding Panel of Chairmen and Governor's Address. 2. Announcement made by the Secretary regarding Bills. 3. Presentation and Adoption of the First Report of the Business Advisory Committee. 4. Statement made by the Hon'ble Chief Minister regarding taking each possible legal & constitutional step to grant clemency to Bhai Balwant Singh Rajoana convicted by the Court. 5. Discussion on the Motion of Thanks on the Governor's Address. (Continued)
Tuesday, the 27th March,2012 (10.00 A.M. to 3.41 P.M.)	1. Motion regarding constitution of Elected Committees of the Punjab Vidhan Sabha for the year 2012-13 (Carried unanimously) 2. Resumption of Discussion on the Motion of Thanks on the Governor's Address. (Concluded)
Wednesday, the 28th March, 2012 (10.00 A.M. to 11.36 A.M.)	1. Motion under Rule 16 regarding adjournment of the House sine-die. (Carried unanimously)

Date	Programme observed
	2. Financial Business i) Presentation of the Supplementary Demands for Grants for Expenditure of the Government of Punjab for the year 2011-2012. ii) Dicussion and Voting on the Supplementary Demands for Grants for Expenditure of the Government of Punjab for the year 2011-2012. iii) The Punjab Appropriation Bill, 2012. (Passed) iv) Presentation of Vote-on-Account for Expenditures of the Government of Punjab for the year 2012-2013. v) Motion regarding Vote-on-Account for three months (viz. April, May & June, 2012). (Passed) vi) The Punjab Appropriation (Vote-on-Account) Bill, 2012. (Passed) 3. Legislative Business- The Punjab Panchayati Raj (Amendment) Bill, 2012. (Passed)

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3. ELECTION OF SPEAKER AND DEPUTY SPEAKER

The Vidhan Sabha elected Doctor Charnjit Singh Atwal, MLA and Shri Dinesh Singh, MLA as Speaker and Deputy Speaker, respectively, on 20th March 2012.

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4. PANEL OF CHAIRMEN

On the 20th March, 2012, the Speaker nominated the following Members to serve on the Panel of Chairmen under Rule 13 (1) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) and announcement was made by the Hon'ble Speaker in the House on the 26th March, 2012:-

1. Sardar Sohan Singh Thandal,
2. Sardar Gurbachan Singh Babbehali,
3. Sardar Laal Singh, and
4. Sardar Amarjit Singh Sahi.

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5. GOVERNOR'S ADDRESS.

The Governor addressed the Punjab Vidhan Sabha on 21st March, 2012.

The Speaker laid a copy of the Governor's Address on the Table of the House on the 26th March, 2012.

The Motion of Thanks on the Governor's Address was moved by Sardar Virsa Singh Valtoha, MLA on the 26th March 2012, which was seconded by Shri Manoranjan Kalia, MLA on the same day.

The Motion was discussed on the :-

26th March, 2012	For 240 Minutes (Treasury Benches - 164 Minutes and INC-- 76 minutes).
27th March, 2012	For 302 Minutes (Treasury Benches- 213 minutes, INC -76 minutes and Independent-13 minutes.

19 Members took part in the discussion, 10 (six from SAD and four from BJP) from the Treasury Benches (including the Mover/Seconders of the Motion and Chief Minister) eight from INC and one from Independent speaking for 377 minutes, 152 minutes and 13 minutes, respectively.

The Motion was carried on the 27th March, 2012.

It was communicated by the Speaker on the 27th March, 2012 to the Governor.

6. OBITUARY REFERENCES

References to the deaths of the following were made by the Hon'ble Speaker as per tradition of the Lok Sabha on the 22nd March,2012:-

1. Shri Chiranji Lal Sharma Ex.M.P. & Ex-M.L.A.;
2. Sardar Santokh Singh Randhawa, Ex-Minister;
3. Sardar Jagmohan Singh Gill,Ex-M.L.C;
4. Sardar Kanwarjit Singh Brar, Ex-M.L.A;
5. Doctor Jodh Singh, Ex-M.L.A;
6. Sardar Bachan Singh Pakho, Ex-M.L.A;
7. Shri Hans Raj Arya, Ex-M.L.A;
8. Sardarni Manjit Kaur, W/o Sardar Ranjit Singh Brahampura, Ex-Minister;
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12. Shri Faquir Chand, Freedom Fighter
13. Shri Mukhtiar Singh, Freedom Fighter;
14. Shri Surat Singh, Freedom Fighter;
15. Shri Ajmer Singh, Freedom Fighter;
16. Shri Gurdial Singh, Freedom Fighter;
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18. Shri Chanan Singh, Freedom Fighter;
19. Shri Chander Shekher, Freedom Fighter;
20. Shri Bakhtawar Singh, Freedom Fighter;
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28.Sardar Jung Singh Sidhu, F/o Sardar Balbir Singh Sidhu, MLA; and

29. Sardar Sajjan Singh Dhillon, F/o Sardar Kewal Singh Dhillon, MLA.

All the Members stood in silence for two minutes as a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased.

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7. FINANCIAL BUSINESS

1. Supplementary Demands for Grants for Expenditure of the Government of Punjab for the year 2011-12

i) Supplementary Demands for Grants for Expenditure of the Government of Punjab for the year 2011-2012 were presented to the Sabha on the 28th March, 2012 and these were discussed and voted on the same day.

There were 24 Demands in all, totalling a sum of Rs.3849,11,82,000/-

The Demands were put to the vote of the House and carried.

ii) The Punjab Appropriation Bill, 2012 (No. 2 -PLA-2012) in respect of the Supplementary Demands voted upon by the Sabha on the 28th March 2012 and expenditure charged on the Consolidated Funds of the State of Punjab was introduced on the 28th March, 2012.

The Bill was passed on the 28th March, 2012.

II The Vote-on-Account for the year 2012-2013 (For three months i.e. April, May and June, 2012)

The Vote-on-Account Budget for the year 2012-2013 (for three months i.e. April, May and June, 2012) was presented to the House on the 28th March, 2012 and discussed and voted upon the same day, on the Motion moved by the Finance Minister that Vote-on-Account for the three months (viz. April, May and June, 2012) amounting to Rs. 1424595,53,000/-, as in the schedule be taken into consideration at once and passed.

The Finance Minister spoke for 20 minutes.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

ii) The Punjab Appropriation (Vote-on-Account) Bill, 2012 (Bill No. 3-PLA-2012) in respect of Vote-on-Account for three months i.e. April, May and June, 2012, was introduced on 28th March 2012,

The Bill was passed on the same day.

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8. LEGISLATION

The Sabha transacted Legislative business on 28.3.2012.

I.Official Bills.

The Sabha passed three Bills in all (including two Appropriation Bills). (Please See Table)

II. Non-Official Bills

NIL

TABLE

Sr. No.	Title of the Bill	Minister Introducing	Date of Intro-duction	Date of Consi-deration	Number of Speeches			Time taken in Minutes			Amendments Proposed			Amendments not moved/ withdrawn/ held out of order/ leave refused			Amendments Carried			Total time taken in minutes for the disposal of the Bill	Date of Passing	Remarks
					SAD/BJP/(Treasury)	*INC*	*Independent*	*SAD/BJP/(Treasury)*	*INC*	*Independent*	*SAD/BJP/(Treasury)*	*INC*	*Independent*	*SAD/BJP/(Treasury)*	*INC*	*Independent*	*SAD/BJP/(Treasury)*	*INC*	*Independent*			
1.	The Punjab Appropriation Bill, 2010	Finance Minister	28.3.2012	28.3.2012	2	4	1	3	5	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	28.3.2012	
2.	The Punjab Appropriation (Vote-on-Account) Bill, 2012	Finance Minister	28.3.2012	28.3.2012	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	28.3.2012	
3.	The Punjab Entertainments Duty (Amendment) Bill, 2010	Food & Civil Supplies Minister	12.3.2010	12.3.2010	1	1	-	3	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	28.3.2012	

9. SYNOPSIS OF BILLS PASSED BY THE VIDHAN SABHA

1. The Punjab Appropriation Bill, 2012.

(Introduced and passed on the 28th March, 2012)

This Bill provides for the appropriation out of the Consolidated Funds of the State of Punjab of the sums required to meet the Supplementary Grants made by the Legislative Assembly for the expenditure for the Financial year 2011-2012.

2. The Punjab Appropriation (Vote-on-Account) Bill , 2012.

(Introduced and passed on the 28th March 2012)

This Bill provides for the appropriation out of the Consolidated Funds of the State of Punjab of all moneys required to meet the expenditure charged on the Consolidated Funds and the Grants made in advance by the Legislative Assembly in respect of the estimated expenditure of the State Government for a part of the Financial Year 2012-2013.

3. The Punjab Panchayati Raj (Amendment)Bill, 2012.

(Introduced and passed as amended on the 28th March, 2012)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to provide for the provisions of Wardbandi and reservation of offices of Panches by the Deputy Commissioners and holding of election of the Sarpanches in future directly from amongst the voters (members of Gram Sabha), as the present system of indirect election has resulted in factionalism of village level and has effected the development works adversely.

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10. RESOLUTION

The following Resolution was moved on the 27th March, 2012 by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister:-

"WHEREAS the elections to the:-

i) Committee on Public Accounts;

ii) Committee on Estimates;

iii) Committee on Public Undertakings; and

iv) Committee on the Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Backward Classes;

for the year 2012-13, are to be held before the 31st March, 2012; and

WHEREAS the time left at the disposal of the House is extremely short and it is not possible to conduct in the normal course, the elections to these Committees;

NOW, THEREFORE, this House authorizes the Speaker, Punjab Vidhan Sabha, to nominate the Members of the aforesaid Committees for the aforesaid year, keeping in view the proportionate strength of various parties/groups in the House;

This House further resolves that for the above purpose, the Rules of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) relating to the elections to the said Committees for the year 2012-13 which are inconsistent with or contrary to the above Resolution shall stand suspended".

The Motion was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

11.PAPERS LAID

Sr. no.	By whom laid	Date on which laid	Subject
1	2	3	4
1	Minister for Parliamentry Affairs	26-03-2012	1. The Punjab Police (1st Amendment) Rules, 2011, as required under Section 80(2) of the Punjab Police Act, 2007.
			2. i) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Single Point Supply to Co-operative Group Housing Societies/Employers) (1st Amendment) Regulations. 2010.

1	2	3	4
			ii) The Punjab State Electricity Regultory Commission (Electricity Supply Code and Related Matters) (1st Amendment)Regulations, 2010;
			iii) The Punjab State Grid Code (1st Amendment), 2010;
			iv) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Open Access) (3rd Amendment) Regulations, 2010;
			v) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Renewable Purchase Obligation and its compliance) Regulations; 2011; and
			vi) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions for Intra-state Open Access) Regulations, 2011, as required under Section 182 of the Electricity Act, 2003.
			3. The Annual Administrative Report of the Finance Department (Local Audit) for the year 2009-10.

1	2	3	4
			4. The 41st Annual Report of the Punjab State Warehousing Corporation for the year 2007-08, as required under Section 31 (11) of the Warehousing Corporation Act, 1962.
			5. The Annual Report & Accounts of the Punjab Small Industries & Export Corporation Ltd. Chandigarh for the year 2008-09, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
			6. The Annual Report of the Punjab Police Housing Corporation Ltd. for the year 2008-09, as required under section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
			7. The Annual Report of the Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission for the year 2009-10, as required under Section 105(2) of the Electricity Act, 2003.
			8. The Annual Report of the Jalandhar Development Authority, Jalandhar (JDA) for the year 2009-10, as required under Section 54(2) of the Punjab Regional & Town Planning and Development Act, 1995.

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2.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	27-03-2012	1. The 28th Annual Report of the Punjab State Forests Development Corporation Ltd. for the year 2010-11, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956. 2. The Statement of trends in receipts and expenditure in relation to the Budget from 1.4.2010 to 31.3.2011 and 1.4.2011 to 30.6.2011, as required under Section 6(1) of the Punjab Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management Act, 2003. 3. The 14th Annual Report of the Punjab State Bus Stand Management Company Limited (PUNBUS) for the year 2008-09, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956. 4. The Annual Report of Punjab State Board of Technical Education and Industrial Training for the year 2010-11, as required Section 28(4) of the Punjab State Board of Technical Education & Industrial Training Act, 1992. 5. The 33rd Annual Report of the Punjab Information & Communication Technology Corporation Limited for the year 2008-09, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.

1	2	3	4
			6. The Annual Administrative Report of the Greater Ludhiana Area Development Authority (GLADA), Ludhiana for the year 2010-11, as required under Section 54(2) of the Punjab Regional & Town Planning & Development Act, 1995.
			7. The 29th Annual Report & Accounts of the Punjab Tourism Development Corporation Ltd. for the year 2007-08, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
			8. The 4th Annual Report & Accounts of the Gulmohar Tourist Complex (Holiday Home) Limited for the year 2006-07, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
			9. The 4th Annual Report & Accounts of Amritsar Hotels Ltd, for the year 2006-07, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
			10. The 5th Annual Report & Accounts of New Chameli Tourist Complex Ltd, for the year 2007-08, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.

1	2	3	4
3.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	28-3-2012	1. i) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India on State Finances for the year 2010-11 Govt. of Punjab;
			ii) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year 2010-11 (Civil) Govt. of Punjab;
			iii) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India on the working of State Excise Department for the year 2010-11 (Revenue Receipts) Govt. of Punjab;
			iv) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year 2010-11 (Commercial) Govt. of Punjab;
			v) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year 2010-11 (Revenue Receipts) Govt of Punjab
			vi) Finance Accounts of Govt. of Punjab for the year 2010-11 (Volume I and II); and
			vii) Appropriation Accounts of Govt. of Punjab for the year 2010-11, as required under Article 151 of the Constitution of India.

1	2	3	4
			2. The Statement of trends in receipts and expenditure in relation to the Budget of first three quarters i.e. from 1.4.2011 to 31.12.2011, as required under Section 6(1) of the Punjab Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management Act, 2003.
			3. The Balance sheet and Profit & Loss Account of the Punjab Scheduled Castes Land Development and Finance Corporation, Chandigarh for the year ending 31st March, 2009, as required under Section 27(5) of the Punjab Scheduled Castes Land Development and Finance Corporation Act, 1970.

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12. REPORTS PRESENTED/LAID

Sr. no.	By whom presented/laid	Date on which presented/ laid	Subject
1	2	3	4
		BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE	
	Speaker	26-03-2012	First Report of the Business Advisory Committee

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13. OTHER MOTIONS

Sr. No.	Minister/ Member moving	Moved on	Discussed on	Subject	Remarks/- Decision
1.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	26.3.2012	26.3.2012	Adoption of the recommendations contained in the First Report of the Business Advisory Committee	Carried
2.	Sardar Virsa Singh Valtoha, MLA	26.3.2012	26.3.2012 and 27.3.2012	Motion of Thanks for the Address given by the Governor on the 21st March,2012.	Carried on 27.3.2012
3.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	28.3.2012	28.3.2012	Motion under Rule 16 regarding Adjournment of the House sine-die.	Carried unanimously.

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14. CALLING ATTENTION NOTICE UNDER RULE 66

Only one Notice of Calling Attention to matters of urgent public importance was received which was disallowed by the Speaker in his Chamber.

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15. STATEMENTS MADE IN REPLY TO MATTERS RAISED DURING ZERO HOUR

Two Statements were made in reply to various matters raised by the

Hon'ble Members during Zero Hour, the detail of which is as under:-

Sr No.	Date	Made by	Subject matter
1.	27.03.2012	Chief Minister	Regarding the issue of vendetta raised by the Leader of the Opposition
2.	28.03.2012	Revenue & Rehabilitation, Information & Public Relations, Non-Conventional Energy and NRI Affairs Minister	Regarding the prevalent Law and order situation in Punjab.

16.STATEMENT BY THE CHIEF MINISTER.

The Chief Minister made one Statement, the details of which is as follows.

Sr No.	Date	Made by	Subject matter
1.	26.3.2012	Chief Minister	Regarding taking each possible legal & constitutional step to grant clemency to Bhai Balwant Singh Rajoana and for strengthening the sense of tranquility and brotherhood in Punjab.

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17. COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF SPEECHES MADE AND TIME TAKEN

Number of speeches made by				Time taken by			
Treasury Benches				Treasury Benches			
Members excluding Ministers	Ministers	Members of Indian National Congress Party	Indepen-dents	Members excluding Ministers	Ministers	Members of Indian National Congress Party	Indepen-dents
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
				H.M.	H.M.	H.M.	H.M.
10	2	17	2	3.51	2.47	2.52	0.14
32.25 per cent	6.46 per cent	54.83 per cent	6.46 per cent	39.55 per cent	28.60 per cent	29.45 per cent	2.40 per cent

Notes : (1) Observations/Statements/Rulings etc. made by the Chair and time taken thereon are not included in the above statement.

(2) Speeches made and time taken by the Chief Parliamentary Secretaries have been included in the category of Ministers.

(3) Time taken on Divisions, Adjournment Motions, Call Attention Notices, Privilege Motions, No-Confidence Motions, Points of Order, Motions in respect of Legislation, Personal Explanations, Congratulatory Speeches, Presentation of Reports and other such Papers etc. is also excluded from the Statement.

18.UNPARLIAMENTARY/UNDESIRABLE EXPRESSIONS

Sr.No.	Expressions	Occasion	Date
1	2	3	4
1.	**ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਸੁਨੀਲ ਜਾਖੜ:** ਜਿਹੜੀ ਗੱਲ ਝੂਠ ਕਹਿਣੀ ਹੋਵੇ ਉਹ ਤੁਸੀਂ ਵਲਟੋਹਾ ਸਾਹਿਬ ਤੋਂ ਸ਼ੁਰੂ ਕਰਵਾ ਦਿੰਦੇ ਹੋ। **Shri Sunil Jakhar:** Whatever lies are to be told by you are made to be spoken by Valtoha Sahib.	(When used with reference to the Ruling Party)	26.3.2012
2.	**ਸਰਦਾਰ ਸੋਹਣ ਸਿੰਘ ਠੰਡਲ:..** ਇਸ ਕਾਂਗਰਸ ਪਾਰਟੀ ਦਾ ਨਾਂ ਬਦਲ ਕੇ ਘੁਟਾਲਾ ਕੰਪਨੀ ਰੱਖ ਦੇਣਾ ਚਾਹੀਦਾ ਹੈ. **Sardar Sohan Singh Thandal:** ...This Congress Party should be renamed as Scam Company.	(When used with reference to a Member of the Opposition Party)	26.3.2012
3.	**ਰਾਣਾ ਗੁਰਜੀਤ ਸਿੰਘ :** ਅਸੀਂ ਨਿਹੰਗ ਦੇ ਬਾਟੇ ਵਾਂਗ ਮਾਂਜ ਕੇ ਵਾਪਸ ਭੇਜ ਦਿੱਤਾ।। **Rana Gurjit Singh:** We sent back by scrubbing them like a Nihang's bata (a big shallow metallic vessel).	(When used with reference to the Ruling Party)	26.3.2012

19 WIT AND HUMOUR

Sr. No.	Expressions	Occasion	Date
1	2	3	4
1.	**ਡਾਕਟਰ ਦਲਜੀਤ ਸਿੰਘ ਚੀਮਾ:** ਕਿਸੇ ਮੁੰਡੇ ਦਾ ਵਿਆਹ ਨਹੀਂ ਹੁੰਦਾ ਸੀ। ਉਸ ਨੂੰ ਕਿਸੇ ਨੇ ਸਲਾਹ ਦਿੱਤੀ ਕਿ ਇੱਕ ਇਥੇ ਲਾਗੇ ਪੀਰ ਹੈ, ਪੀਰ ਮਤੋਈ, ਤੂੰ 40 ਦਿਨ ਉਥੇ ਜਾ ਕੇ	(When used with reference to the Opposition party)	26.3.2012

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	ਪਾਣੀ ਦੀ ਗੜਵੀ ਚੜ੍ਹਾਇਆ ਕਰ ਅਤੇ 40 ਦਿਨਾਂ ਬਾਅਦ ਤੇਰਾ ਵਿਆਹ ਹੋ ਜਾਵੇਗਾ। ਉਹ ਲਗਾਤਾਰ 40 ਦਿਨ, ਜਿਸ ਤਰ੍ਹਾਂ ਉਸ ਨੂੰ ਦੱਸਿਆ ਸੀ,ਉਹ 40 ਦਿਨ ਉਥੇ ਜਾਂਦਾ ਅਤੇ ਪਾਣੀ ਦੀ ਗੜਵੀ ਰੋੜ ਕੇ ਆ ਜਾਂਦਾ। ਜਦੋਂ 40ਵੇਂ ਦਿਨ ਉਹ ਜਾ ਰਿਹਾ ਸੀ ਤਾ ਪਿਛੋ ਉਸ ਨੂੰ ਕਿਸੇ ਨੇ ਅਵਾਜ਼ ਮਾਰੀ ਕਿ ਕਾਕਾ ਰੁਕ ਜਾ, ਘਰ ਨੂੰ ਮੁੜ ਆ। ਉਸ ਨੂੰ ਲੱਗਿਆ ਸ਼ਾਇਦ ਰਿਸ਼ਤੇ ਵਾਲੀ ਗੱਲ ਪਹਿਲਾਂ ਹੀ ਬਣ ਗਈ ਹੈ ਉਸ ਨੇ ਕਿਹਾ ਕਿ ਕੀ ਗੱਲ ਹੈ। ਉਸ ਨੂੰ ਦੱਸਿਆ ਕਿ ਗੱਲ ਮਾੜੀ ਹੈ। ਤੇਰੀ ਘਰ ਮਾਂ ਮਰ ਗਈ। ਉਸ ਨੇ ਉਸੇ ਵੇਲੇ ਕਿਹਾ ਕਿ ਵਾਹ ਪੀਰ ਮਤੋਈ, ਮੈਨੂੰ ਤਾ ਕੀ ਦੇਣੀ ਸੀ ਬਾਪੂ ਵਾਲੀ ਵੀ ਖੋਹੀ। **Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema:** There was a boy who couldn't get married. Somebody advised him to visit the Dargah of 'Peer Mattoi' for 40 days and offer a pot of water there, and he would get married after 40 days. He continuously went there for 40 days and did the same as he was told. When on the 40th day he was going there, somebody called him from behind and asked him to stop and come back home. He thought that may be some marriage proposal has come		

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	early in his way. He stopped and asked him what the matter is. He was told that the matter was serious, his mother had expired. Hearing that he said, "Worthy Peer Mattoi, what to give me, you even snatched the one my father had.'		

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APPENDIX-I

20. BULLETINS PERTAINING TO THE FIRST SESSION, 2012

BULLETIN NO. 1

Monday, the 19th March, 2012

(From 2.00 P.M. to 3.46 P.M.)

1. Announcement by the Secretary

The Secretary made the following announcement:-

" I have the honour to inform the House that the Governor has been pleased to appoint Doctor Charnjit Singh Atwal, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by virtue of Article 188 of the Constitution of India, to be the person before whom every Member of the 14th Punjab Vidhan Sabha, shall before taking his/her seat, make and subscribe the prescribed oath/ affirmation.

I have also the honour to inform the House that Governor has been pleased to appoint Doctor Charnjit Singh Atwal, M.L.A, in exercise of the powers conferred upon him by vrtue of Clause (1) of Article 180 of the Constitution of India to perform the duties of the office of the Speaker of the 14th Punjab Vidhan Sabha, till the election of the Speaker is held under Article 178."

(At this stage, Doctor Charnjit Singh Atwal occupied the Chair as protem Speaker.)

2. Announcement by the Secretary

The Secretary made the following announcement:-

" Before I request the Hon'ble Members for taking oath, I beg to lay on the Table of the House, a copy of the notification issued by the Chief Election Commissioner of India showing the names of the Members of the 14th Vidhan Sabha duly elected in the General Elections of 2012."

3. **Oath or Affirmation by the Members.**

The Hon'ble Members were administered oath, one by one, in the following order:-

1. Leader of the House, Sardar Parkash Singh Badal, Chief Minister;
2. Sardar Sukhbir Singh Badal, Deputy Chief Minister;
3. Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition;

4. Hon'ble Ministers;

5. Hon'ble Lady Members; and

6. Remaining Hon'ble Members, District-wise.

In all 115 Members took oath, out of them 106 Members took oath in Punjab, four Members in Hindi, four Members in English, while one Member took the oath in Urdu. One Lady Member could not be administed oath as she was not present.

The House, then, adjourned till 10.00 A.M. on Tuesday, the 20th March, 2012

Bulletin No.2

Tuesday, 20th March, 2012

(10.00 A.M. to 10.59 A.M.)

1. Election of Speaker

The Hon'ble Chief Minister moved that Doctor Charnjit Singh Atwal M.L.A., who is a Member of the Punjab Vidhan Sabha and is present in the House, be elected as Speaker of the Vidhan Sabha.

Shri Chunni Lal Bhagat, Local Govt., Medical Education and Research Minister seconded the motion.

As the name of no other Member was proposed for the office of the Speaker, Doctor Charnjit Singh Atwal was declared elected as Speaker unanimously.

The Hon'ble Chief Minister, Shri Chunni Lal Bhagat, Local Govt., Medical Education and Research Minister and Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition went to the podium, congratulated and formally installed Doctor Charnjit Singh Atwal in the Chair.

2. Congratulatory Speeches

First of all, Hon'ble Chief Minister felicitated Doctor Charnjit Singh Atwal on his being elected as the Speaker of the House unanimously. Thereafter, the following Members also made congratulatory speeches:-

1. Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition;
2. Shri Chunni Lal Bhagat,Local Govt., Medical Education and Research Minister.

Thereafter, Hon'ble Speaker thanked Leader of the House, Sardar Parkash Singh Badal, Deputy Chief Minister, Sardar Sukhbir Singh Badal and all other respected Members of the House for congratulating him on his unanimous election as the Speaker. Agreeing with the suggestions of the Hon'ble Members, he stressed the need for effective working of the Committees of the House , strengthening good parliamentary traditions by following healthy and constructive conventions with their co-operation and stressed upon new Members to be helpful in the smooth running of the House and laid emphasis to make an endeavour to publish good debates and discussions by giving precedence keeping in view the constructive approach by the Media.

3. Election of Deputy Speaker

The Hon'ble Chief Minister moved that Shri Dinesh Singh M.L.A., who is the Member of the Punjab Vidhan Sabha and is present in the House, be elected as Deputy Speaker of the Vidhan Sabha.

Shri Chunni Lal Bhagat, Local Govt., Medical Education and Research Minister, seconded the motion.

As the name of no other Member was proposed for the office of the Deputy Speaker, Shri Dinesh Singh was declared elected as the Deputy Speaker unanimously.

The Hon'ble Chief Minister, Shri Chunni Lal Bhagat, Local Govt., Medical Education and Research Minister and Shri Anil Joshi, Industries and Commerce Technical Education and Industrial Training Minister and Shri K.D. Bhandari, M.L.A. escorted Shri Dinesh Singh to the Chair of the Deputy Speaker and formally installed him in the Chair.

4. Congratulatory Speeches.

First of all, the Hon'ble Chief Minister congratulated Shri Dinesh Singh on his being elected as the Deputy Speaker unanimously. Thereafter, the following Members also made congratulatory speeches;

1. Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition;
2. Shri Chunni Lal Bhagat, Local Govt., Medical Education and Research Minister.

Hon'ble Speaker also congratulated Shri Dinesh Singh on his unanimous election as the Deputy Speaker.

Thereafter, Hon'ble Deputy Speaker thanked Leader of the House, Sardar Parkash Singh Badal and all the other Hon'ble Members of the House for electing him unanimously as Deputy Speaker.

Thereafter, the House adjourned till 10.00 A.M. on Thursday, the 22nd March, 2012.

BULLETIN NO. 3

Thursday, the 22nd March, 2012

(From 10.00 A.M. to 10.18 A.M.)

1. Announcement by Hon'ble Speaker

Hon'ble Speaker made an announcement that as per the tradition of the Lok Sabha and the decision taken in the meeting of the Business Advisory Committee, only Hon'ble Speaker would offer tributes to the bereaved souls to which the entire House gave its consent.

2. Obituary References

Hon'ble Speaker made references to the passing away of the following:-

1. Shri Chiranji Lal Sharma, Ex-M.P. & Ex-M.L.A.;
2. Sardar Santokh Singh Randhawa, Ex-Minister;
3 Sardar Jagmohan Singh Gill,Ex-M.L.C ;
4. Sardar Kanwarjit Singh Brar, Ex- M.L.A;
5. Doctor Jodh Singh, Ex-M.L.A;
6. Sardar Bachan Singh Pakho, Ex-M.L.A;
7. Shri Hans Raj Arya, Ex-MLA;
8. Shri Labh Singh, Freedom Fighter;
9. Shri Teja Singh, Feedom Fighter;
10 Shri Sewa Singh, Freedom Fighter;
11. Shri Faquir Chand, Freedom Fighter;
12. Shri Mukhtiar Singh, Freedom Fighter;
13. Shri Surat Singh, Freedom Fighter;
14. Shri Ajmer Singh, Freedom Fighter;
15. Shri Gurdial Singh, Freedom Fighter;

16. Shri Pritam Singh, Freedom Fighter;

17 Shri Chanan Singh, Freedom Fighter;

18. Shri Chander Shekher, Freedom Fighter;

19. Shri Bakhtawar Singh, Freedom Fighter;

20. Shri Bachan Singh, Freedom Fighter;

21. Shri Kapoor Singh Virk, Freedom Fighter;

22. Jathedar Verma Singh Khanpur, Freedom Fighter;

23. Shri Chhanchal Singh Babak, Freedom Fighter;

24. Sardar Sampuran Singh Cheema, Akali Leader; and

25. Shri Kuldeep Manak, Famous Punjabi Folk Singer;

Hon'ble Speaker paid rich tributes to the aforesaid great personalities. Besides these personalities, Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition also paid homage to Sardar Jung Singh Sidhu, father of Sardar Balbir Singh Sidhu, MLA, Sardar Sajjan Singh Dhillon, father of Sardar Kewal Singh Dhillon, MLA.

Hon'ble Chief Minister paid tributes to Sardarni Manjit Kaur w/o Ex-Minister Sardar Ranjit Singh Brahampura. On a reference made by Shri Sharanjeet Singh Dhillon, Public Works Minister regarding the sad demise of Shri Kapoor Singh, Freedom Fighter from village Pittipur, Hon'ble Speaker also paid homage to him.

Hon'ble Speaker informed the House that condolence messages would be sent to the bereaved families.

The House, then stood in silence for two minutes as a mark of respect to the departed souls.

Thereafter, the House, then adjourned, without transacting any other business till 2.00 P.M. on Monday, the 26th March, 2012.

SPECIAL BULLETIN NO.1

DISCUSSION ON GOVERNOR'S ADDRESS

Discussion on the Motion of Thanks on the Governor's Address was held for two days i.e. 26th and 27th March, 2012, for 9 hours and 02 minutes. The detail of time taken by various Parties is as under:-

Sr.No.	Name of the Party	No. of Members who took part in the discussion	Time Taken Hr./Minutes
1.	Shiromani Akali Dal	6	5.02
2.	Indian National Congress	8	2.32
3.	Bharatiya Janata Party	4	1.15
4.	Independent	1	0.13

Note: Time taken by the Shiromani Akali Dal also includes the time taken by the Hon'ble Chief Minister who spoke for 2 hours and 27 minutes.

Bulletin No. 4

Monday, the 26th March, 2012

(2.00 PM to 6.30 PM)

1. Announcement by the Speaker :

(i) Regarding Panel of Chairmen

The Hon'ble Speaker made an announcement under Rule 13 (I) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) regarding nomination of the following Members to serve on the panel of Chairmen:-

1. Sardar Sohan Singh Thandal,
2. Sardar Gurbachan Singh Babbehali,
3. Sardar Laal Singh, and
4. Sardar Amarjit Singh Sahi.

(ii) Regarding Governor's Address

In pursuance of Rule 18 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) Hon'ble Speaker informed the House that the Governor had been pleased to address the Punjab Vidhan Sabha on the 21st March, 2012 at 10.00 A.M. under Article 176 (1) of the Constitution of India.

Hon'ble Speaker laid a copy of the Address on the Table of the House.

2. Announcement by the Secretary :

The Secretary laid on the Table of the House a statement showing the Bills which were passed by the 13th Vidhan Sabha during its 13th Session and which have since been assented to by the Governor.

3. First Report of the Business Advisory Committee :

Hon'ble Speaker presented to the House the First Report of the

Business Advisory Committee regarding the business to be transacted by the Punjab Vidhan Sabha in its sittings from 26th March, 2012 to 28th March, 2012.

The following motion moved by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

"That this House agrees with the recommendations contained in the First Report of the Business Advisory Committee."

4. Papers laid on the Table :

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister laid on the Table of the House papers, as mentioned at Sr.No. 1 to 8 under Item No. IV of today's List of Business.

5. Statement by the Hon'ble Chief Minister:

Hon'ble Chief Minister while making an announcement on the floor of the House for strengthening the sense of tranquility and brotherhood in Punjab, made a statement to take each possible legal and constitutional step to grant clemency to Bhai Balwant Singh Rajoana convicted by the Court.

6. Announcement by the Hon'ble Speaker:

Hon'ble Speaker announced that the official work of the House be done in Punjabi as being done earlier.

7. Motion of Thanks and Discussion on Governor's Address:

The following motion on Governor's Address was moved by Sardar Virsa Singh Valtoha MLA (Shiromani Akali Dal) seconded by Shri Manoranjan Kalia MLA (BJP) :-

"That the Members of this House assembled in this session are deeply grateful to the Governor for the Address which he has been pleased to deliver to the House on the 21st March ,2012".

Thereafter, the following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time mentioned against their names:-

1. Sardar Virsa Singh Valtoha, Shiromani Akali Dal 1 Hour

2. Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party 31 Minutes

3. Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition, 46 Minutes

4. Sardar Sohan Singh Thandal, Shiromani Akali Dal 26 Minutes.

5. Shri K.D. Bhandari, Bharatiya Janata Party 12 Minutes.

6. Rana Gurjit Singh, Indian National Congress 15 Minutes.

7. Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema, Shiromani Akali Dal 35 Minutes.

8. Sardar Sukhjinder Singh Randhawa, Indian National Congress 09 Minutes

9. Shri Tarlochan Singh, Indian National Congress 06 Minutes.

Due to the adjournment of the House, Hon'ble Member Shri Tarlochan Singh will continue with his discussion on 27.3.2012.

Sardar Amarjit Singh Sahi, a Member on the Panel of Chairmen, occupied the Chair from 4.48 P.M. to 6.21.P.M.

Thereafter, the House adjourned till 10.00 A.M. on Tuesday, the 27th March. 2012.

BULLETIN NO. 5

Tuesday, the 27th March, 2012

(10.00 A.M. to 3.41. P.M)

1. PAPERS LAID ON THE TABLE

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister laid on the Table of the House the papers, as mentioned against Sr. Nos. 1 to 10 under Item. No. 1 in today's list of Business.

2. MOTION REGARDING CONSTITUTION OF ELECTED COMMITTEES FOR THE YEAR 2012-2013.

The following motion moved by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister was put to the Vote of the House and carried unanimously:-

"WHEREAS the elections to the:-

1. Committee on Public Accounts;

2. Committee on Estimates;

3. Committee on Public Undertakings; and

4. Committee on Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Backward Classes;

for the year 2012-13, are to be held before the 31st March, 2012; and

WHEREAS the time left at the disposal of the House is extremely short and it is not possible to conduct in the normal course, the elections to these Committees;

NOW, therefore, this House authorizes the Speaker, Punjab Vidhan Sabha to nominate the Members of the aforesaid Committees for the aforesaid year, keeping in view the proportionate strength of various parties/groups in the House.

This House further resolves that for the above purpose, the Rules of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) relating to the elections to the said Committees for the year 2012-13 which are inconsistent with or contrary to the above motion shall stand suspended.

3. RESUMPTION OF DISCUSSION ON GOVERNOR'S ADDRESS AND VOTE ON THE MOTION OF THANKS:

Six Amendments given on Governor's Address put up by Rana Gurmit Singh Sodhi, MLA, Indian National Congress and deemed as read were disapproved by the House.

The discussion on the following motion on Governor's Address moved by Hon'ble Member, Sardar Virsa Singh Valtoha, SAD which was seconded by Hon'ble Member, Shri Manoranjan Kalia, BJP was resumed and carried.

"That the Members of the House assembled in this Session are deeply

grateful to the Governor for the Address which he has been pleased to deliver to the House on the 21st March, 2012."

Shri Tarlochan Singh, MLA, Indian National Congress resumed his speech, as he was speaking at the time of adjournment of the House on 26.3.2012 and he spoke for 14 minutes

Thereafter, the following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names:-

1.	Shri Ashwani Sekhri, INC	16 minutes
2.	Shri Ashwani Kumar Sharma, BJP	18 minutes
3.	Shri Pawan Kumar Tinu,SAD	14 minutes
4.	Sardar Balbir Singh Sidhu, INC	14 minutes
5.	Sardar Inderbir Singh Bolaria, SAD	20 Minutes
6.	Sardar Balwinder Singh Bains, Independent	13 minutes
7.	Rana Gurmit Singh Sodhi, INC	19 minutes
8.	Shri Som Parkash, BJP	14 minutes
9.	Shri Amrinder Singh Raja Warring, INC	13 minutes

Hon'ble Chief Minister, by way of reply, spoke for 2 hours and 27 minutes.

4. Extension of time

With the consent of the House, the time of today's sitting was extended till the completion of Speech by the Hon'ble Chief Minister.

Sardar Sohan Singh Thandal, a Member on the Panel of Chairmen occupied the Chair from 12.06 P.M. to 12.57 P.M.

The House, then adjourned till 10.00 AM on Wednesday, the 28th March, 2012.

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BulletinNo. 6

Wednesday, the 28th March, 2012

(10.00 A.M to 11.36 A.M)

1. **Papers laid on the Table.**

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister laid Papers on the Table of the House, as mentioned at Sr. No. 1 to 3 under Item No. 1 in today's List of Business.

2. **Motion under Rule 16:**

The following motion moved by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously;

"That the Vidhan Sabha (Assembly) at its rising this day shall stand adjourned sine-die.

3. **Financial Business:**

(i) The Hon'ble Finance Minister presented the Supplementary Demands for grants for the expenditure of Government of Punjab for the year 2011-2012.

(ii) **Supplementary Demands for Grants for Expenditure of the Government of Punjab for the year 2011-2012:**

1. Discussion on the Estimates of the Expenditure charged on Revenue of the State.
2. Voting on the Demands for Supplementary Grants.

Demand Nos. 1 to 3, 5 to 15,17 to 19 and 22 to 28 on the List of Business were put for the discussion and vote of the House and carried.

(iii) **The Punjab Appropriation Bill, 2012:**

The Finance Minister introduced the Punjab Appropriation Bill, 2012 and moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

The following Members took part in the discussion on the Bill and spoke for the time given against each:-

1.	Sardar Tript Rajinder Singh Bajwa, Indian National Congress.	2 Minutes
2.	Sardar Sohan Singh Thandal, Shiromani Akali Dal	1 Minute
3.	Rana Gurmit Singh Sodhi, Indian National Congress	1 Minute
4.	Sardar Balwinder Singh Bains, Independent	1 Minute
5.	Sardar Babir Singh Sidhu, Indian National Congress	1 Minute
6.	Shri Ashwani Sekhri, Indian National Congress	1 Minute

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Clauses 2 and 3, Schedule, Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Finance Minister "That the Punjab Appropriation Bill, 2012 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

(iv) Presentation of Vote-on-Account for the Expenditure of the Government of Punjab for the year 2012-2013.

The Finance Minister presented the Vote-on-Account for the Expenditure of the Government of Punjab for the year 2012-2013 for three months.

(v) Motion Regarding Vote-on-Account for Three Months:

The Finance Minister moved the following motion:-

"Vote-on-Account for three months (viz. April, May and June, 2012) amounting to Rs. 1424595,53,000/- as shown in the Schedule be taken into consideration at once and passed."

While doing so, he spoke for 20 Minutes.

The oral amendment presented by Hon'ble Member Shri Ashwani Sekhri, Indian National Congress, was disapproved by the House.

Thereafter, the motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

The following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time indicated against each :-

1.	Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition.	5 Minutes
2.	Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, Indian National Congress.	4 Minutes
3.	Shri Ashwani Sekhri, Indian National Congress	3 Minutes

(vi) The Punjab Appropriation (Vote-on-Account) Bill, 2012

The Finance Minister introduced the Punjab Appropriation (Vote-on-Account) Bill, 2012 and moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Clauses 2 and 3, Schedule, Clause 1 and the Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Finance Minister "That the Punjab Appropriation (Vote-on-Account) Bill, 2012 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

4. **Legislaltive Business**
The Punjab Panchayati Raj (Amendment) Bill, 2012

The Rural Development and Panchayats Minister introduced the Punjab Panchayati Raj (Amendment) Bill, 2012 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, Hon'ble Member Sardar Tript Rajinder Singh Bajwa, Indian National Congress spoke for three minutes.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause(2) of Clause(1), Clauses 2 to 10, as there was no amendment , collectively, Sub Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Rural Development and Panchayats Minister "That the Punjab Panchayati Raj (Amendment) Bill, 2012 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

The House, then, adjourned sine-die.

APPENDIX-II

21. COMMITTEES

(I) Elected Committees

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR 2012-13

(Nominated by the Speaker on the 09th May, 2012 in pursuance of the motion passed by the House on 27th March, 2012)

1.	Shri Brahm Mohindra	Chairman
2.	Sardar Darshan Singh Shivalik	Member
3.	Sardar Gurkirat Singh	Member
4.	Sardar Gurpartap Singh Wadala	Member
5.	Sardar Harpreet Singh	Member
6.	Shri Joginder Pal Jain	Member
7.	Sardar Manjit Singh Mianwind	Member
8.	Sardar Parminder Singh Pinki	Member
9.	Shri S.R. Kaler	Member
10.	Sardar Simarjit Singh Bains	Member
11.	Shri Sunder Sham Arora	Member
12.	Shri Tarlochan Singh	Member
13.	Smt. Vaninder Kaur Loomba	Member

Under Rule 184(1) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha(Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Speaker has appointed **Shri Brahm Mohindra** as Chairman of the Committee.

(ii) COMMITTEE ON ESTIMATES FOR THE YEAR 2012-13

(Nominated by the Speaker on 9th May, 2012 in pursuance of motion passed by the House on 27th March,2012)

1.	Sardar Hari Singh	Chairman
2.	Sardar Amrinder Singh Raja Warring	Member
3.	Shri Ashwani Kumar Sharma	Member
4.	Sardar Hardial Singh Kamboj	Member
5.	Sardar Joginder Singh Jindu	Member
6.	Sardar Maheshinder Singh	Member
7.	Sardar Manpreet Singh Ayali	Member
8.	Justice Retd. Nirmal Singh	Member
9.	Sardar Pargat Singh	Member
10.	Shri Rakesh Pandey	Member
11.	Sardar Randip Singh Nabha	Member
12.	Shri Rajnish Kumar	Member
13.	Sardar Simarjit Singh Bains	Member

Under Rule 184(1) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Hon'ble Speaker has appointed **Sardar Hari Singh** as Chairman of the Committee.

(iii) COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC UNDERTAKINGS FOR THE YEAR 2012-13

(Nominated by the Speaker on 9th May, 2012 in pursuance of the motion passed by the House on 27th March, 2012)

1.	Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan	Chairman
2.	Sardar Ajit Inder Singh Mofar	Member
3.	Shri Ashwani Sekhri	Member
4.	Sardar Balwinder Singh Bains	Member
5.	Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema	Member
6.	Shri Deep Malhotra	Member
7.	Sardar Gurtej Singh Ghuriana	Member
8.	Shri Manoranjan Kalia	Member
9.	Sardar Manpreet Singh Ayali	Member
10.	Sardar Sukhbinder Singh Sarkaria	Member
11.	Sardar Sukhjinder Singh	Member
12.	Sardar Surinder Singh Bhulewal Rathan	Member
13.	Sardar Tript Rajinder Singh Bajwa	Member

Under Rule 184(1) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha(Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Hon'ble Speaker has appointed Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan as Chairman of the Committee

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(v) COMMITTEE ON WELFARE OF SCHEDULED CASTES, SCHEDULED TRIBES AND BACKWARD CLASSES FOR THE YEAR 2012-13.

(Nominated by the Speaker on 9th May, 2012 in pursuance of the

motion passed by the House on 27th March, 2012.)

1.	Sardar Harpreet Singh	Chairman
2.	Smt. Aruna Chaudhary	Member
3.	Sardar Baljit Singh Jalal Usma	Member
4.	Sardar Darshan Singh Shivalik	Member
5.	Smt. Harchand Kaur	Member
6.	Shri Mohammed Sadique	Member
7.	Justice (Retd.) Nirmal Singh	Member
8.	Smt. Rajwinder Kaur	Member
9.	Sardar Sangat Singh Gilzian	Member
10.	Sardar Sadhu Singh Dharamsot	Member
11.	Smt. Seema Kumari	Member
12.	Shri S.R. Kaler	Member
13.	Shri Tarlochan Singh	Member

Under Rule 184 (1) read with the Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Speaker has appointed **Sardar Harpreet Singh** as **Chairman** of the Committee.

II Nominated Committee

(i) BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

(Nominated on 20th March, 2012 under Rule 208(1))

1.	Doctor Charnjit Singh Atwal, Speaker	Ex- Officio Chairman
2.	Sardar Sukhbir Singh Badal, Deputy Chief Minister;	Member

3.	Shri Chunni Lal Bhagat, Minister for Local Government;	Member
4.	Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs;	Member
5.	Sardar Parminder Singh Dhindsa, Minister for Finance; and	Member
6.	Shri Sunil Jakhar, MLA & Leader of Opposition.	Member

SPECIAL INVITEES

1. Bibi Jagir Kaur, Minister for Defence Services Welfare; and
2. Smt. Rajinder Kaur Bhattal, MLA

(ii) HOUSE COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR 2012-13

Nominated under Rule 249

1.	Shri Dinesh Singh, Deputy Speaker	Ex-Officio Chairman
2.	Sardar Ajit Inder Singh Mofar	Member
3.	Sardar Chatin Singh	Member
4.	Sardar Hari Singh	Member
5.	Smt Karan Kaur Brar	Member
6.	Sardar Navtej Singh Cheema,	Member
7.	Shri Om Parkash Soni	Member
8.	Shri S.R. Kaler	Member

(iii) COMMITTEE OF PRIVILEGES FOR THE YEAR 2012-13

(Nominated Under Rule 233)

1.	Justice Nirmal Singh	Chairman

2.	Sardar Amrik Singh	Member
3.	Sardar Balbir Singh Sidhu	Member
4.	Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema	Member
5.	Shri Deep Malhotra	Member
6.	Rana Gurjit Singh	Member
7.	Sardar Gurpartap Singh Wadala	Member
8.	Sardar Gurtej Singh Ghuriana	Member
9.	Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan	Member
10	Smt. Karan Kaur Brar	Member
11.	Smt. Seema Kumari	Member
12.	Shri Surinder Kumar Dawar	Member

Under Rule 184 (1) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure & Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) Speaker has appointed Justice Nirmal Singh as Chairman of the Committee.

(iv) COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT ASSURANCES FOR THE YEAR 2012-13

(Nominated under Rule 238)

1.	Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema	Chairman
2.	Sardar Amrik Singh	Member
3.	Capt. Amarinder Singh	Member
4.	Sardar Balwinder Singh Bains	Member
5.	Smt. Charanjit Kaur Bajwa	Member
6.	Sardar Darshan Singh Kotfatta	Member

7.	Sardar Gurcharan Singh Raikot	Member
8.	Sardar Hari Singh	Member
9.	Sardar Maheshinder Singh	Member
10.	Sardar Manjit Singh Mianwind	Member
11.	Sardar Pargat Singh	Member
12.	Sardar Sangat Singh Gilzian	Member
13.	Sardar Surinder Singh Bhulewal Rathan	Member

Under Rule 184(1) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of the Procedure and Conduct of Business in Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Hon'ble Speaker has appointed **Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema**, as Chairman of the Committee.

(v) COMMITTEE ON SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION FOR THE YEAR 2012-13.

(Nominated Under Rule 240)

1.	Sardar Gurtej Singh Ghuriana	Chairman
2.	Shri Arvind Khanna	Member
3.	Shri Ashwani Kumar Sharma	Member
4.	Sardar Gurpartap Singh Wadala	Member
5.	Sardar Harpreet Singh	Member
6.	Sardar Jagmohan Singh Kang	Member
7.	Sardar Jeetmohinder Singh Sidhu	Member
8.	Sardar Kuljit Singh Nagra	Member
9.	Sardar Laal Singh	Member
10.	Sardar Manpreet Singh Ayali	Member

11.	Sardar Ranjit Singh Dhillon	Member
12.	Shrimati Vaninder Kaur Loomba	Member
13.	Advocate General, Punjab	Member

Under Rule 184 (1) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure & Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Hon'ble Speaker has appointed Sardar **Gurtej Singh Ghuriana,** MLA as Chairman of the Committee.

(vi) LIBRARY COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR 2012-13

(Nominated under Rule 248)

1.	Sardar Manjit Singh Mianwind	Chairman
2.	Smt. Aruna Chaudhary	Member
3.	Shri Ashwani Sekhri	Member
4.	Sardar Baljit Singh Jalal Usma	Member
5.	Sardar Chatin Singh	Member
6.	Smt. Charanjit Kaur Bajwa	Member
7.	Sardar Darshan Singh Kotfatta	Member
8.	Smt. Harpreet Kaur Mukhmailpura	Member
9.	Shri Rakesh Pandey	Member

Under Rule 184 (1) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Speaker has appointed Sardar **Manjit Singh Mianwind** as Chairman of the Committee.

(vii) COMMITTEE ON PETITIONS FOR THE YEAR 2012-13

(Nominated under Rule 250)

1.	Sardar Darshan Singh Shivalik	Chairman
2.	Shri Ashwani Kumar Sharma	Member
3.	Sardar Balbir Singh Sidhu	Member
4.	Shri Bharat Bhushan Ashu	Member
5.	Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi	Member
6.	Sardar Chatin Singh	Member
7.	Sardar Darshan Singh Kotfatta	Member
8.	Smt. Guriqbal Kaur	Member
9.	Sardar Joginder Singh Jindu	Member
*10.	Sardar Manpreet Singh Ayali	Member
11.	Shri Rajnish Kumar	Member
12.	Sardar Ramanjit Singh Sikki	Member
13.	Smt. Vaninder Kaur Loomba	Member

Under Rule 184(1) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Speaker has appointed **Sardar Darshan Singh Shivalik,** MLA as Chairman of the Committee.

*Sardar Manpreet Singh Ayali, MLA has resigned from the membership of the Committee on Petitions on 17.5.2012 and under Rule 180(3) read with rule 207 of Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Hon'ble Speaker has nominated Shri Prem Mittal, MLA as a Member of the Petition Committee from 17.5.2012 for the remaining period of the year 2012-13.

(viii) COMMITTEE ON PAPER LAID/TO BE LAID ON THE TABLE OF THE HOUSE FOR THE YEAR 2012-13.

(Nominated under Rule 251-C)

1.	Sardar Ajaib Singh Bhatti	Chairman
2.	Sardar Baljit Singh Jalal Usma	Member
3.	Sardar Gurkirat Singh	Member
4.	Smt Harpreet Kaur Mukhmailpura	Member
5.	Sardar Joginder Singh Panjgrain	Member
6.	Sardar Laal Singh	Member
7.	Sardar Maheshinder Singh	Member
8.	Shri Prem Mittal	Member
9.	Smt Rajwinder Kaur	Member
10	Smt Seema Kumari	Member

Under Rule 184(1) read with Rule 207 of the Rule of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Hon'ble Speaker has appointed Sardar **Ajaib Singh Bhatti,** MLA as Chairman of the Committee.

(ix) COMMITTEE OF LOCAL BODIES AND PANCHAYATI RAJ INSTITUTIONS FOR THE YEAR 2012-13

(Nominated Under Rule 251-1(2))

1.	Shri Prem Mittal	Chairman
2.	Sardar Amrinder Singh Raja Warring	Member
3.	Sardar Balwinder Singh Bains	Member
4.	Shri Deep Malhotra	Member
5.	Smt. Harpreet Kaur Mukhmailpura	Member

6.	Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan	Member
7.	Sardar Kewal Singh Dhillon	Member
8.	Shri Manoranjan Kalia	Member
9.	Shri Om Parkash Soni	Member
10.	Sardar Pargat Singh	Member
11.	Doctor Raj Kumar Verka	Member
12.	Sardar Ramanjit Singh Sikki	Member
13.	Sardar Ranjit Singh Dhillon	Member

Under Rule 184(1) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Speaker has appointed **Shri Prem Mittal** as Chairman of the Committee.

(x) COMMITTEE ON QUESTIONS AND REFERENCES FOR THE YEAR 2012-13

(Nominated under Rules 251-(G)

1.	Shri Manoranjan Kalia	Chairman
2.	Rana Gurmit Singh Sodhi	Member
3.	Smt. Harchand Kaur	Member
4.	Sardar Joginder Singh Jindu	Member
5.	Sardar Navtej Singh Cheema	Member
6.	Smt. Rajinder Kaur Bhattal	Member
7.	Smt Rajwinder Kaur	Member
8.	Sardar Sadhu Singh Dharamsot	Member
9.	Sardar Surinder Singh Bhulewal Rathan	Member

Under Rule 184(1) read with Rule 207 of the Rules, of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Speaker has appointed **Shri Manoranjan Kalia** as Chairman of the Committee.

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DURING

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WITH

APPENDICES CONTAINING DAILY BULLETINS

AND

COMMITTEE OF THE VIDHAN SABHA



PUNJAB VIDHAN SABHA SECRETARIAT,
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PREFACE

The following pages contain Resume of Business transacted by the Fourteenth Vidhan Sabha during the Budget (Second) Session, 2012 held from 19th June, 2012 to 29th June, 2012 together with the Bulletins issued daily after the adjournment of each Sitting of the Sabha.

2. It is hoped that the publication would be found useful by Members and others who may wish to know in detail what work was done each day by the Vidhan Sabha in the above mentioned Session.

3. Any suggestion for further improvement of this publication in future would be very gratefully welcomed.

CHANDIGARH :
The 6th October, 2012.

VED PARKASH,
Secretary.

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1. SUMMONING, SITTINGS AND PROROGATION OF THE VIDHAN SABHA

The Fourteenth Punjab Vidhan Sabha was summoned by an order of the Governor, dated the 13th June, 2012, to meet for its Budget (Second) Session in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha Hall, Vidhan Bhavan, Chandigarh at 2.00 P.M. on the 19th June, 2012 and it continued to meet till the 29th June, 2012 when it adjourned *sine die*. It was later prorogued by an order of the Governor dated the 13th July, 2012.

During the Session, the Sabha held eight Sittings.

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2. PROGRAMME OBSERVED

Date	Programme observed
Tuesday, the 19th June, 2012 (2.00 P.M. to 2.12 P.M.)	Obituary references to the deaths of— 1. Sardar Amarjit Singh Sahi, Chief Parliamentary Secretary ; 2. Sardar Joginder Singh Randhawa, Ex-MLA ; 3. Shri Bhajan Singh, Freedom Fighter ; 4. Shri Balwant Rai Uppal, Freedom Fighter ; 5. Shri Ujagar Singh, Freedom Fighter ; 6. Shri Sudagar Singh, Freedom Fighter ; 7. Shri Karm Singh, Freedom Fighter ; 8. Shri Jarnail Singh, Freedom Fighter ; 9. Shri Parbhat Singh, Freedom Fighter ; 10. Shri Wassan Singh, Freedom Fighter; 11. Shri Sulakhan Singh, Freedom Fighter; 12. Shri Harsha Singh, Freedom Fighter; 13. Shri Jagbir Singh Chhina, Freedom Fighter; 14. Shri Ratnesh Singh Sodhi, renowned Punjabi Journalist ; 15. Labourers died in the catastrophe of Jalandhar factory ; and 16. Cows died in massacre in Joga.

Date	Programme observed
Wednesday, the 20th June, 2012 (10.00 A.M. to 11.32 A.M.)	Presentation of Budget Estimates for the year 2012-2013
Thursday, the 21st June, 2012 (10.00 A.M. to 1.22 P.M.)	1. Announcements made by the Speaker/ Secretary regarding Panel of Chairmen and Bills 2. Presentation and adoption of the First Report of the Business Advisory Committee. 3. Statement made by Hon'ble Chief Minister regarding the responsibility of the Government to maintain peace and harmony in the State related with the incident of attack carried out by the Army on Sri Darbar Sahib. 4. **Non-Official Resolution—** "This House recommends to the State Government to take up the matter with the Central Government for taking immediate necessary steps to find a solution to the serious problem of foodgrains storage in the State". (Only moved)
Friday, the 22nd June, 2012	Off-day
Saturday, the 23rd June, 2012 Sunday, the 24th June, 2012	Holidays

in the wake of construction of memorial

Date	Programme observed
Monday, the 25th June, 2012 (2.00 P.M. to 6.30 P.M.)	1. Statement made by the Hon'ble Chief Minister during Zero Hour regarding power shortage in the State. 2. General Discussion on the Budget Estimates for the year 2012-13.
Tuesday, the 26th June, 2012 (10.00 A.M. to 6.09 P.M.)	Resumption of General Discussion on the Budget Estimates for the year 2012-13. (Concluded)
Wednesday, the 27th June, 2012 (10.00 A.M. to 2.28 P.M.)	**Financial Business** (i) Discussion and Voting on Demands for Grants relating to the Budget Estimates for the year 2012-13. (ii) The Punjab Appropriation (No. 2) Bill, 2012 (Passed)
Thursday, the 28th June, 2012 (10.00 A.M. to 2.30 P.M.)	1. Statement made by the Hon'ble Chief Minister on the issue raised on 26th June, 2012 during Zero Hour by the Opposition Party that "Police high-handedness is going on under the vendetta policy of the Government." 2. **Non-Official Resolutions—** (i) "This House recommends to the State Government to take up the matter with the Central Government for taking immediate necessary steps to find a solution to the serious problem of foodgrains storage and its movement in the State." (Carried unanimously as amended)

Date	Programme observed
	(ii) "This House recommends to the State Government to take effective steps to control the stray dog population in view of the increasing number of dog-bite cases in the State and to provide appropriate treatment to the victims of dog bites so as to save them from rabies." (Talked-out)
Friday, the 29th June, 2012 (10.00 A.M. to 1.20 P.M.)	1. **Official Resolution—**

"That this House warmly welcomes Sardar Surjeet Singh who was discharged from jail and returned to the country after spending more than 30 years in Pakistani jails and congratulates him and his family and expresses gratitude to the Pakistan and Indian Governments and strongly recommends to the Central Government to make earnest efforts to ensure the early release of Sardar Sarabjeet Singh who is behind the bars in Pakistani jails since the last 22 years and other Indian prisoners who have completed their terms of imprisonment.

This House feels that both the countries are already making all out efforts to make their relations cordial. As the relations have strengthened due to opening of trade from Attari-Wagha border recently. Similarly, these relations would strengthen further with the release of other Indian prisoners. I strongly appeal to the Indian Government by getting it unanimously passed in the House that Sardar Sarabjeet Singh should immediately be got released and the matter should be taken up either by the Foreign Affairs Ministry or by the Hon'ble Prime Minister."

(Carried unanimously)

Date	Programme observed
	2. Motion under Rule 16 regarding adjournment of the House *sine-die.* (Carried unanimously)
	3. **Legislative Business**
	(i) The Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Bill, 2012. (Passed)
	(ii) The Punjab Municipal Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2012. (Passed)
	(iii) The Punjab Municipal Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2012. (Passed)
	(iv) The Punjab Ex-servicemen Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2012. (Passed)
	(v) The Chandigarh University Bill, 2012. (Passed)
	(vi) The Adesh University Bill, 2012. (Passed)
	(vii) The Punjab Common Infrastructure (Regulation and Maintenance) Bill, 2012. (Passed)

3. PANEL OF CHAIRMEN

On the 14th June, 2012, the Speaker nominated the following Members to serve on the Panel of Chairmen under Rule 13(1) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) and an announcement was made by the Hon'ble Speaker in the House on the 21st June, 2012 :—

1. Sardar Gurtej Singh Ghuriana ;
2. Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan ;
3. Sardar Laal Singh ; and
4. Shri Manoranjan Kalia.

4. OBITUARY REFERENCES

References to the deaths of the following were made by the Hon'ble Speaker on the 19th June, 2012 :

1. Sardar Amarjit Singh Sahi, Chief Parliamentary Secretary ;
2. Sardar Joginder Singh Randhawa, Ex-MLA ;
3. Shri Bhajan Singh, Freedom Fighter ;
4. Shri Balwant Rai Uppal, Freedom Fighter ;
5. Shri Ujagar Singh, Freedom Fighter ;
6. Shri Sudagar Singh, Freedom Fighter ;
7. Shri Karm Singh, Freedom Fighter ;
8. Shri Jarnail Singh, Freedom Fighter ;
9. Shri Parbhat Singh, Freedom Fighter ;
10. Shri Wassan Singh, Freedom Fighter;
11. Shri Sulakhan Singh, Freedom Fighter;
12. Shri Harsha Singh, Freedom Fighter;
13. Shri Jagbir Singh Chhina, Freedom Fighter;
14. Shri Ratnesh Singh Sodhi, renowned Punjabi Journalist ;
15. Labourers died in the catastrophe of Jalandhar factory ; and
16. Cows died in massacre in Joga.

All the Members stood in silence for two minutes as a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased.

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5. FINANCIAL BUSINESS

The Budget Estimates for the year 2012-13

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I. The Budget Estimates for the year 2012-13 were presented to the House on the 20th June, 2012.

General discussion on the Budget was held on the—

Date	Programme observed
25th June, 2012	For 162 minutes (Treasury 102 minutes and INC 60 minutes).
26th June, 2012	For 350 minutes (Treasury 178 minutes and INC 172 minutes)

The Finance Minister, by way of reply, spoke for 54 minutes on the 26th June, 2012.

Total time taken by the Treasury Benches including time taken by the Finance Minister was 280 minutes and INC 232 minutes.

II. Demands for Grants — There were in all 29 Demands for Grants, totalling a sum of Rs. 57648,27,26,000.

Total time taken by the Treasury Benches including time taken by the Finance Minister was 62 minutes and INC 39 minutes. The Demands were discussed and put to the vote of the House on the 27th June, 2012.

III. The Punjab Appropriation (No. 2) Bill, 2012.

The Punjab Appropriation (No. 2) Bill, 2012 (No. 4-PLA-2012) in respect of the Demands voted by the Sabha and expenditure charged on the Consolidated Fund of the State of Punjab, was introduced on the 27th June, 2012.

The Bill was passed on the 27th June, 2012.

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6. LEGISLATION

(i) The Sabha transacted Financial Business on 27th June, 2012 ; and

(ii) The Sabha transacted Legislative Business on 29th June, 2012.

(I) Official Bills

The Sabha passed 8 Bills in all (including one Appropriation Bill, three Principal Bills and four Amending Bills). (Please see Table)

(II) Non-Official Bill

Nil

TABLE

Sr. No.	Title of the Bill	Minister Introducing	Date of Introduction	Date of Consideration	Number of Speeches			Time taken in Minutes			Amendments Proposed			Amendments not moved/ withdrawn/ held out of order/leave refused			Amendments Carried			Total Time taken in minutes for the disposal of the Bill	Date of Passing	Remarks
					SAD/BJP/(TREASURY)	INC	IND	SAD/BJP/(TREASURY)	INC	IND	SAD/BJP/(TREASURY)	INC	IND	SAD/BJP/(TREASURY)	INC	IND	SAD/BJP/(TREASURY)	INC	IND			
1.	The Punjab Appropriation (No. 2) Bill, 2012	Finance Minister	27-6-2012	27-6-2012	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	27-6-2012	
2.	The Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Bill, 2012	Local Government Minister	29-6-2012	29-6-2012	1	1	-	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	29-6-2012	
3.	The Punjab Municipal Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2012	Local Government Minister	29-6-2012	29-6-2012	1	3	-	3	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	29-6-2012	

4.	The Punjab Municipal Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2012	Local Government Minister	29-6-2012	29-6-2012	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	29-6-2012	
5.	The Punjab Ex-Servicemen Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2012	Chief Minister	29-6-2012	29-6-2012	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	29-6-2012	
6.	The Chandigarh University Bill, 2012	Education Minister	29-6-2012	29-6-2012	7	4	-	28	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	47	29-6-2012	
7.	The Adesh University Bill, 2012	Education Minister	29-6-2012	29-6-2012	3	3	-	10	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	29-6-2012	
8.	The Punjab Common Infrastructure (Regulation and Maintenance) Bill, 2012	Industries Minister	29-6-2012	29-6-2012	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	29-6-2012	

7. SYNOPSIS OF BILLS PASSED BY THE VIDHAN SABHA

1. The Punjab Appropriation Bill, 2012.

(Introduced and passed on 27th June, 2012)

This Bill provides for the appropriation from and out of the Consolidated Fund of the State of Punjab of all money required to meet the expenditure charged on the Consolidated Fund and the Grants made in advance by the Legislative Assembly in respect of the estimated expenditure of the State Government for the Financial Year 2012-2013.

2. The Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Bill, 2012.

(Introduced and passed on 29th June, 2012)

This Bill replaces the Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordiance No. 1 of 2012), which was promulgated to amend the principal Act, so as to abolish octroi on petrol and diesel in order to maintain parity of prices of these products in rural and urban areas with effect from 5th May, 2012.

3. The Punjab Municipal Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2012.

(Introduced and passed on 29th June, 2012)

This Bill replaces the Punjab Municipal Fund (Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordiance No. 3 of 2012), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so as to compensate the loss suffered by Municipalities by way of increasing Value Added Tax from 10% to 11% and to make provisions for the distribution of funds to new Municipalities set up after 1st September, 2006.

4. The Punjab Municipal Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2012.

(Introduced and passed on 29th June, 2012)

This Bill replaces the Punjab Municipal Corporation (Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordiance No. 2 of 2012), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so as to abolish octroi on petrol and diesel in order to maintain parity of prices of these products in rural and urban areas with effect from 5th May, 2012.

5. The Punjab Ex-Servicemen Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2012

(Introduced and passed on 29th June, 2012)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to make provision for nominating non-official Vice-Chairman by the State Government in the Board of Directors of Punjab Ex-Servicemen Corporation and to validate the earlier order of the State Government and Administrative Head in this regard.

6. The Chandigarh University Bill, 2012

(Introduced and passed on 29th June, 2012)

This Bill provides to establish and incorporate a University in the State of Punjab for the purposes of making provisions for instruction, teaching, education, research, training and related activities at all levels in disciplines of higher education including professional, medical, technical, general education, language and literature and to provide for the matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

7. The Adesh University Bill, 2012

(Introduced and passed on 29th June, 2012)

This Bill provides to establish and incorporate a University in the State of Punjab for the purposes of making provisions for instruction, teaching, education, research, training and related activities at all levels in disciplines of higher education including professional, medical, technical, general education, language and literature, art and culture, management, tourism and hospitality and to provide for the matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

8. The Punjab Common Infrastructure (Regulation and Maintenance) Bill, 2012

(Introduced and passed on 29th June, 2012)

This Bill seeks to provide for the regulation and maintenance of common infrastructure in the industrial areas and for the matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

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8. RESOLUTIONS

(i) Official

The following Resolution was moved on 29th June, 2012 by the Hon'ble Chief Minister :—

"That this House warmly welcomes Sardar Surjeet Singh who was discharged from jail and returned to the country after spending more than 30 years in Pakistani jails and congratulates him and his family and expresses gratitude to the Pakistan and Indian Governments and strongly recommends to the Central Government to make earnest efforts to ensure the early release of Sardar Sarabjeet Singh who is behind the bars in Pakistani jails since the last 22 years and other Indian prisoners who have completed their terms of imprisonment.

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The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

(ii) Non-Official

Sr. No.	Subject	Total	Treasury Benches SAD	BJP	Indian National Congress	Independent
1.	No. of Notices received	120	20	—	99	1
2.	No. of Notices admitted	120	20	—	99	1
3.	No. of Notices disallowed	—	—	—	—	—
4.	No. of Notices referred back	—	—	—	—	—
5.	No. of Resolutions Balloted	20	6	—	13	1
6.	Total No. of Resolutions lapsed on prorogation	100	14	—	86	—
7.	No. of Ballots held				Two	
8.	Date(s) on which Ballots held		20th June, 2012 and 27th June, 2012			
9.	Date on which Business other than the Government Business was transacted		21st June, 2012 28th June, 2012			

On Thursday, the 21st June, 2012, a Resolution was moved by Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, MLA, Shiromani Akali Dal as under :—

> **"This House recommends to the State Government to take up the matter with the Central Government for taking immediate necessary steps to find a solution to the serious problem of foodgrains storage in the State."**

While moving the Resolution, he spoke for three minutes. The House then adjourned.

On Thursday, the 28th June, 2012, a request was made by Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, MLA, to the Hon'ble Speaker that "The Resolution which was presented on 21st June, 2012 in regard to storage capacity of food grains has not been discussed. This matter is related with the interests of the farmers of Punjab and the people of the country and this is a very important issue which needs to be discussed urgently" was put for approval of the House and carried before discussion and consideration in the House.

(i) Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, MLA, Shiromani Akali Dal, moved the following Resolution in the House. While doing so he spoke for 12 minutes.

> **"This House recommends to the State Government to take up the matter with the Central Government for taking immediate necessary steps to find a solution to the serious problem of foodgrains storage in the State".**

The following Resolution moved by Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, MLA, Shiromani Akali Dal, was carried unanimously as amended by the House that :—

> **"This House recommends to the State Government to take up the matter with the Central Government for taking immediate necessary steps to find a solution to the serious problem of foodgrains storage and its movement in the State".**

The Resolution was discussed in the House for one hour and four minutes. Six Members from Treasury Benches and two Members from Indian National Congress took part in the discussion.

The Food and Civil Supplies Minister, by way of reply, spoke for 15 minutes.

(ii) On the same day, Sardar Ajit Inder Singh Mofar, MLA, Indian National Congress, moved the following Resolution in the House :—

> **"This House recommends to the State Government to take effective steps to control the stray dog population in view of the increasing number of dog-bite cases in the State and to provide appropriate treatment to the victims of dog bites so as to save them from rabies."**

The Resolution was discussed in the House for 35 minutes. Four Members from Treasury Benches and two Members from Indian National Congress took part in the discussion. The Resolution was talked-out.

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9. PAPERS RE-LAID/LAID

Sr. No.	By whom Re-Laid/Laid	Date on which Re-Laid/Laid	Subject
1	2	3	4
1.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	21-06-2012	1. (i) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Single Point Supply to Co-operative Group Housing Societies/Employers) (1st Amendment) Regulations 2010 ;
			(ii) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Electricity Supply Code and Related Matters) (1st Amendment) Regulations, 2010 ;
			(iii) The Punjab State Grid Code (1st Amendment) 2010 ;
			(iv) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Open Access) (Third Amendment) Regulations, 2010 ;
			(v) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Renewable Purchase Obligation and its compliance) Regulations, 2011 ; and

Sr. No.	By whom Re-Laid/Laid	Date on which Re-Laid/Laid	Subject
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			(vi) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions for Intra-state Open Access) Regulations, 2011 ; as required under Section 182 of the Electricity Act, 2003.
2.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	25-06-2012	1. (i) The Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 1 of 2012) ; (ii) The Punjab Municipal Corporation (Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 2 of 2012) ; and (iii) The Punjab Municipal Fund (Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 3 of 2012), as required under Article 213 (2)(a) of the Constitution of India. 2. The Punjab Police (First Amendment) Rules, 2011, as required under Section 80(2) of the Punjab Police Act, 2008. 3. Annual Report and Balance-sheet of the Punjab Backward Classes Land Development and Finance Corporation (BACKFINCO) for the year 2009-10, as required under Section 27(6) of the Punjab Backward Classes Land Development and Finance Corporation Act, 1976.

Sr. No.	By whom Re-Laid/Laid	Date on which Re-Laid/Laid	Subject
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			4. The Audit Reports on the Accounts of the Punjab State Human Rights Commission, Chandigarh, for the years 2001-02, 2004-05, 2005-06, 2006-07, 2007-08 and 2008-09, as required under Section 35(4) of the Protection of Human Rights Act, 1953.
			5. The Annual Administrative Report of the Patiala Urban Planning and Development Authority (PDA), Patiala, for the year 2010-11, as required under Section 54(2) of the Punjab Regional and Town Planning and Development Act, 1995.
			6. The Audit Report on the Accounts of the Punjab Financial Corporation, Chandigarh, for the year ended 31st March, 2011, as required under Section 37(6) of the State Financial Corporation Act, 1951.
			7. The Annual Report of the Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission for the year 2010-11, as required under Section 105(2) of the Electricity Act, 2003.
			8. The 4th and 5th Annual Reports and Accounts of the Punjab State Grains Procurement Corporation Limited (PUNGRAIN) for the years 2006-07 and 2007-08, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.

Sr. No.	By whom Re-Laid/Laid	Date on which Re-Laid/Laid	Subject
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			9. The 36th Annual Report of the Punjab State Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd. for the year 2009-10, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
			10. The Annual Administrative Report of the Finance Department (Local Audit) for the year 2010-11.
			11. The 42nd Annual Report of the Punjab State Warehousing Corporation for the year 2008-09, as required under Section 31(11) of the Warehousing Corporation Act, 1962.
			12. The Annual Statement of Accounts of the Punjab State Electricity Board for the year 2010-11 (01-04-2010 to 16-04-2010), as required under Section 69(5) of the Electricity (Supply) Act, 1998.
3.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	26-06-2012	The Punjab Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Rules, 2011, as required under Section 38(4) of the Right of Children to Free and Compulsory Education Act, 2009.
4.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	28-06-2012	The Annual Administrative Report of the Punjab Scheduled Castes Land Development and Finance Corporation, Chandigarh for the year 2009-10, as required under Section 27(6) of the Punjab Scheduled Castes Land Development and Finance Corporation Act, 1970.

10. REPORT PRESENTED/LAID

By whom Presented/ Laid	Date on which Presented/ Laid	Subject
BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE		
Speaker	21-06-2012	First Report of the Business Advisory Committee.

11. MOTION UNDER RULE 77

Notice of Motion under Rule 77 was received which was not admitted. However, the detail of the same is as under :—

Member(s) giving Notice	Notice received on	Discussed on	Subject	Decision
1	2	3	4	5
Sardar Parminder Singh Pinki, Indian National Congress	27-6-2012	—	Regarding sending an all Party delegation to the Prime Minister of India seeking his intervention in facilitation of trade with Pakistan through Hussainiwala Border Post.	Disallowed

12. OTHER MOTIONS

Sr. No.	Minister/ Member moving	Moved on	Discussed on	Subject	Remarks/ Decision
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	21-6-2012	21-6-2012	Adoption of the recommendations contained in the First Report of the Business Advisory Committee.	Carried unanimously
2.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	29-6-2012	29-6-2012	Motion under Rule 16 regarding adjournment of the House sine-die.	Carried unanimously

13. CALLING ATTENTION NOTICES UNDER RULE 66

In all, 31 Notices of Calling Attention to matters of urgent public importance were received. Out of these, 14 were admitted. Out of the admitted Notices, five could not be taken up in the House, four due to paucity of time and one due to absence of the Member concerned. The other Notices were disallowed by the Speaker in his Chamber on one ground or the other.

The details of the nine admitted Notices, which were taken up in the House, is given below :—

Sr. No.	Calling Attention Notice No.	Member(s) Calling Attention	Date	Subject	Remarks/
1	3	Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi	21-6-2012	Regarding miserable condition children who are nature challenged and unable to study for lack of required facilities and faculties in schools.	The Minister for Social Security and Development of Women & Children Welfare made a statement.

Sr. No.	Calling Attention Notice No.	Member(s) Calling Attention	Date	Subject	Remarks/
2	4	Sardar Gurpartap Singh Wadala	21-6-2012	Regarding necessity of implementing "Rain Water Harvesting System" keeping in view the depleting water level.	The Minister for Irrigation made a statement.
3	5	Sardar Gurpartap Singh Wadala	21-6-2012	Regarding the need of brick-lining of Bist-Doab Canal.	The Minister for Irrigation made a statement.
4	7	Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi	25-6-2012	Regarding mad rush of vehicular traffic on the stretch of National Highway No. 21 from Mohali to Kharar.	The Minister for PWD (B&R) made a statement.
5	8	Sardar Kewal Singh Dhillon	25-6-2012	Regarding inconvenience being caused to people due to construction of Railway Over-Bridge near S.D. College, Barnala.	The Minister for PWD (B&R) made a statement.
6	11	Sardar Ajit Inder Singh Mofar	26-6-2012	Regarding non-cleaning of drains resulting in breach in Kotla Branch Canal.	The Minister for Irrigation made a statement.
7	15	Sardar Jagmohan Singh Kang	27-6-2012	Regarding shortage of mining material (sand and bajri etc.) in the State.	The Minister for Industries made a statement.

Sr. No.	Calling Attention Notice No.	Member(s) Calling Attention	Date	Subject	Remarks/
8	21	Sardar Tript Rajinder Singh Bajwa	28-6-2012	Regarding non-relieving of teachers/ lecturers on deputation to Chandigarh Administration	The Minister for Education made a statement
9	22	Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan	29-6-2012	Regarding starting of classes in the Government College being constructed at Amargarh from July, 2012.	The Minister for Education made a statement

14. STATEMENTS BY THE CHIEF MINISTER/MINISTERS

The Chief Minister/Ministers made a total number of 12 statements including nine statements in reply to Calling Attention Notices. The detail in regard to the other statements is as under :—

Sr. No.	Date	Made by	Subject-Matter
1.	21-06-2012	Chief Minister	Regarding the issue raised by Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition, about the responsibility of the Government to maintain peace and harmony in the State in the wake of construction of memorial related with the incident of attack carried out by the Army on Sri Darbar Sahib.
2.	25-06-2012	Chief Minister	Regarding the issue raised by Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition, during Zero Hour with regard to the power shortage in the State.

Sr. No.	Date	Made by	Subject-Matter
3.	28-06-2012	Chief Minister	Regarding the issue raised on 26th June, 2012, during Zero Hour by the Opposition Party that "Police high-handendness is going on under the vendetta policy of the Government".

15. STATEMENTS MADE IN REPLY TO MATTERS RAISED DURING ZERO HOUR

11 statements were made in reply to various matters raised by the Hon'ble Members during Zero Hour, the details of which are as under :—

Sr. No.	Date	Made by	Subject-Matter
1.	21-06-2012	Chief Minister	Regarding the issue raised by the Leader of the Opposition pertaining to the responsibility of the Government to maintain peace and harmony in the State in the wake of construction of memorial related with the Army attack carried out on Sri Darbar Sahib, and regarding vendetta and also registration of false cases against the Congressmen by the State Government.
2.	25-06-2012	Chief Minister	Regarding steps taken/being taken by the State Government for generating more power.
3.	25-06-2012	Chief Minister	Regarding checking of electricity transformers/meters installed at the residence of Capt. Amarinder Singh, MLA and ex-Chief Minister by the officials of Power Corporation.

Sr. No.	Date	Made by	Subject-Matter
4.	25-06-2012	Chief Minister	Regarding a sum of Rs. 300 crore paid/being paid to the farmers of the State out of the Central assistance of Rs. 800 crore received from the Central Government in the year 2010 as Central Assistance for additional cost incurred by the Government of Punjab in providing power to the agriculture sector.
5.	26-06-2012	Chief Minister	Regarding a sum of Rs. 300 crore paid/being paid to the farmers of the State out of the Central assistance of Rs. 800 crore received from the Central Government in the year 2010 as Central Assistance for additional cost incurred by the Government of Punjab in providing power to the agriculture sector, and placing of letter received from the Central Government in this regard on the Floor of the House.
6.	26-06-2012	Parliamentary Affairs Minister	Regarding murder of democracy in the State.
7.	27-06-2012	Chief Minister	Regarding police excesses which took place during municipal elections in the State.
8.	27-06-2012	Health Minister	Regarding re-naming of Civil Hospital, Batala, as Mata Sulakhni Devi Hospital.
9.	27-06-2012	Revenue Minister	Regarding banning of registration of unauthorized colonies contructed 28 years ago.

Sr. No.	Date	Made by	Subject-Matter
10.	28-06-2012	Chief Minister	Regarding vendetta and registration of false cases against the Congress workers/leaders by the State Government.
11.	29-06-2012	Chief Minister	Regarding adopting of practice for giving prior notices of the matters to be raised during Zero Hour.

16. COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF SPEECHES MADE AND TIME TAKEN

Number of speeches made by				Time taken in (H.M.)			
Treasury Benches		Members of Indian National Congress Party	Indepen-dents	Treasury Benches		Members of Indian National Congress Party	Indepen-dents
Members excluding Ministers	Ministers			Members excluding Ministers	Ministers		
36	7	38	-	6.31	2.54	5.24	-
44.45%	8.64%	46.91%	-	43.98%	19.57%	36.45%	-

Notes :

1. Observations/Statements/Rulings etc. made by the Chair and time taken thereon are not included in the above Statement.
2. Question Hour has been excluded from the Statement.
3. Speeches made and time taken by the Chief Parliamentary Secretaries have not been included in the category of Ministers.
4. Time taken on Divisions, Adjournment Motions, Calling Attention Notices, Privilege Motions, No Confidence Motions, Points of Order, Motions in respect of Legislation, Personal Explanations, Congratulatory Speeches, Presentation of Reports and other such Papers etc., if any, is also excluded from the Statement.

17. FIGURES RELATING TO QUESTIONS

1.	Total No. of Sittings of the Sabha	..	8
2.	Total No. of Notices of Questions received—		
	Starred Questions	..	464
	Unstarred Questions	..	15
	Short Notice Questions	..	1
3.	Total No. of Sittings at which Questions were not taken up	..	2
4.	Total No. of Members from whom Notices were received	..	49
5.	Total No. of Questions placed on the Order Paper—		
	Starred Questions	..	120
	Unstarred Questions	..	15
	Short Notice Questions	..	—
6.	Total No. of Starred Questions to which oral answers were given	..	86
7.	Total No. of Starred Questions deemed to have been answered under Rule-38	..	22
8.	Total No. of Starred Questions converted into Unstarred Questions	..	197
9.	Total No. of Unstarred Questions replied to	..	15
10.	Total No. of Starred Questions postponed	..	9
11.	Maximum No. of Questions addressed to any one Minister	..	4
	(PWD (B&R) Minister on 25-6-2012)		
12.	Maximum No. of Questions orally answered by any one Minister	..	3
	(PWD (B&R) Minister on 25-6-2012)		

18. QUESTIONS' STATEMENT

Type of Questions	No. of Notices received	No. of Notices admitted	No. of Notices dis-allowed/ referred back	No. of Notices clubbed with other Notices on the same subject	No. of postponed Questions	No. of Questions Not-put.	No. of Questions answered	No. of Starred Questions converted into Unstarred Questions on Prorogation of the Session	No. of Questions deemed to have been answered under Rule 38	No. of Notices withdrawn	No. of Supple-mentaries asked	No. of Notices lapsed on Proro-gation
Starred Questions	464	358	28	19	9	3	86	197	22	1	135	40
Unstarred Questions	15	17	—	—	—	—	15	—	—	—	—	—
Short Notice Questions	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

19. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS ANSWERED, DATE-WISE AND PARTY-WISE

DATE	S.A.D	B.J.P.	I.N.C.	INDEPENDENTS	TOTAL
21-6-2012	7	–	7	–	14
25-6-2012	7	–	8	2	17
26-6-2012	3	–	12	–	15
27-6-2012	3	–	10	2	15
28-6-2012	9	–	3	–	12
29-6-2012	5	–	8	–	13
				Total :	**86**

20. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS DEEMED TO HAVE BEEN ANSWERED UNDER RULE 38, DATE-WISE AND PARTY-WISE

DATE	S.A.D	B.J.P.	I.N.C.	INDEPENDENTS	TOTAL
21-6-2012	3	–	1	–	4
25-6-2012	1	–	1	–	2
26-6-2012	1	–	3	–	4
27-6-2012	1	–	–	1	2
28-6-2012	2	–	2	–	4
29-6-2012	2	–	4	–	6
				Total :	**22**

21. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS NOT-PUT, DATE-WISE AND PARTY-WISE

DATE	S.A.D	B.J.P.	I.N.C.	INDEPENDENTS	TOTAL
21-6-2012	1	–	–	–	1
25-6-2012	–	–	–	–	–
26-6-2012	–	–	–	–	–
27-6-2012	–	–	1	–	1
28-6-2012	–	–	–	–	–
29-6-2012	1	–	–	–	1
				Total :	**3**

22. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS LISTED IN THE NAMES OF DIFFERENT MINISTERS, DATE-WISE

Date	Chief Minister	Deputy Chief Minister	Local Government Minister	Tourism & Cultural Affairs Minister	Food and Civil Supplies Minister	Transport Minister	Animal Husbandry Minister	Welfare of SCs & BCs Minister	Health & Family Welfare Minister	Social Security Minister
21-6-2012	4	–	2	1	1	–	–	–	4	1
25-6-2012	2	–	1	1	–	–	–	–	3	–
26-6-2012	1	–	2	2	–	2	–	–	2	–
27-6-2012	2	–	1	–	1	1	–	1	2	–
28-6-2012	1	–	2	–	–	1	1	2	2	2
29-6-2012	1	–	2	–	–	1	–	2	2	1

Date	Finance & Planning Minister	Irrigation Minister	Forests Minister	Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister	Non-Conventional Energy Minister	Education Minister	Industries & Commerce Minister	Rural Development & Panchayats Minister	PWD (B&R) Minister	Technical Education & Industrial Training Minister	Total
21-6-2012	–	2	–	–	–	3	–	1	1	–	20
25-6-2012	1	3	–	1	–	4	–	–	4	–	20
26-6-2012	–	2	–	2	–	2	2	–	2	1	20
27-6-2012	1	2	1	2	–	2	1	1	2	–	20
28-6-2012	–	2	–	2	–	2	2	–	1	–	20
29-6-2012	2	2	1	1	–	2	1	–	2	–	20

23. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF POSTPONED STARRED QUESTIONS DATE-WISE AND MINISTER-WISE

Date	Chief Minister	Welfare Minister	Food and Civil Supplies Minister	Education Minister	Revenue Minister	Finance Minister	PWD (B&R) Minister	Total
21-6-2012	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1
25-6-2012	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	1
26-6-2012	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	1
27-6-2012	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	2
28-6-2012	1	1	–	1	–	–	1	4
29-6-2012	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
						Total :		9

24. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS POSTPONED, DATE-WISE AND PARTY-WISE

DATE	S.A.D	B.J.P.	I.N.C.	INDEPENDENTS	TOTAL
21-6-2012	–	–	1	–	1
25-6-2012	–	–	1	–	1
26-6-2012	–	–	1	–	1
27-6-2012	–	–	2	–	2
28-6-2012	2	–	2	–	4
29-6-2012	–	–	–	–	–
				Total :	9

25. DHARNA

Date	Member(s) sitting in Dharna	Occasion
21-06-2012	All the Members of the Indian National Congress Party, present in the House.	On being dissatisfied with the statement by the Chief Minister regarding the responsibility of the Government to maintain peace and harmony in the State in the wake of construction of memorial related with the incidence of attack by the Army on Sri Darbar Sahib.

26. UNPARLIAMENTARY/UNDESIRABLE EXPRESSIONS

Sr. No.	Expression(s)	Occasion	Date
1	2	3	4
1	**ਸ਼੍ਰੀ ਸੁਨੀਲ ਕੁਮਾਰ ਜਾਖੜ :** ਫਾਈਨਾਂਸ ਮਨਿਸਟਰ ਨੂੰ ਉਸ ਖੂੰਜੇ ਲਾ ਰੱਖਿਆ ਹੈ। ਇਸੇ ਤਰ੍ਹਾਂ ਹੀ ਪੰਜਾਬ ਦੇ ਫਾਈਨਾਂਸਿਜ਼ ਨੂੰ ਇਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਨੇ ਖੂੰਜੇ ਲਾ ਰੱਖਿਆ ਹੈ। **Shri Sunil Kumar Jakhar :** The Finance Minister has been sidelined. In the same way, they have sidelined the finances of Punjab.	(When used with reference to the Finance Minister)	26-6-2012
2	**ਸਰਦਾਰ ਜਨਮੇਜਾ ਸਿੰਘ ਸੇਖੋਂ (ਸਿੰਚਾਈ ਮੰਤਰੀ) :** ਮੈਂ ਦਸ ਸਾਲਾਂ ਤੋਂ ਇਹ ਪਿੱਟਦਾ ਆਇਆ ਹਾਂ ਕਿ ਇਹ ਵਿਤਕਰਾ ਪੰਜਾਬ ਨਾਲ ਹੁੰਦਾ ਆਇਆ ਹੈ। **Sardar Janmeja Singh Sekhon (Irrigation Minister) :** I am expressing anguish for the last ten years that this discrimination is being meted out to Punjab.	(When used while giving reply to the Supplementary on a Question)	29-6-2012

27. WIT AND HUMOUR

Sr. No.	Expression(s)	Occasion	Date
1	2	3	4
1	ਡਾਕਟਰ ਦਲਜੀਤ ਸਿੰਘ ਚੀਮਾ : ਮੈਂ ਕਿਹਾ ਕਿ ਮੈਂਬਰ ਸਾਹਿਬ ਦੇ ਸਵਾਲ ਦਾ ਜਵਾਬ ਵੀ ਕੀ ਦੇਣਾ ਹੈ, ਸਵਾਲ ਹੀ ਲਾਜਵਾਬ ਹੈ। ਮੈਨੂੰ ਉਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਦੀ ਗੱਲ ਸੁਣ ਕੇ ਲੱਗਿਆ, ਸਾਡਾ ਇਕ ਅਧਿਆਪਕ ਹੁੰਦਾ ਸੀ ਉਹ ਲਗਾਤਾਰ ਅੱਧਾ ਪੌਣਾ ਘੰਟਾ ਪੜ੍ਹਾ ਕੇ ਉਸ ਤੋਂ ਬਾਅਦ ਪੁੱਛਦਾ ਹੁੰਦਾ ਸੀ ਕਿ ਜੇ ਕਿਸੇ ਨੇ ਕੁਝ ਪੁੱਛਣਾ ਹੈ ਤੇ ਜਦੋਂ ਕੋਈ ਨਹੀਂ ਸੀ ਬੋਲਦਾ ਤਾਂ ਉਹ ਕਹਿੰਦਾ ਹੁੰਦਾ ਸੀ ਕਿ ਜਾਂ ਤਾਂ ਤੁਹਾਨੂੰ ਸਾਰਾ ਹੀ ਸਮਝ ਲੱਗ ਗਿਆ ਜਾਂ ਫਿਰ ਮੇਰਾ ਮਤਲਬ ਕੱਖ ਵੀ ਸਮਝ ਨਹੀਂ ਲੱਗਿਆ । (ਹਾਸਾ) ਮੇਰੇ ਕਹਿਣ ਦਾ ਭਾਵ ਕਿ ਜਿਹੜਾ ਇਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਨੇ ਕੁਐਸਚਨ ਕੀਤਾ ਹੈ, ਮੈਂ ਜਿਹੜਾ ਬੋਲਿਆ ਹਾਂ ਮੇਰਾ ਖਿਆਲ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਉਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਸਮਝ ਨਹੀਂ ਲੱਗੀ। **Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema :** I said why to answer the question of Hon'ble Member, as the question is very astonishing. After hearing his view, I recalled that we had a teacher. After teaching continuously for half-an-hour or quarter-to-an-hour, he used to ask if anybody wanted to ask any question/ seek clarification and when	(When used with reference to a Member of the Opposition Party).	25-6-2012

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	nobody responded, he used to say either you have fully grasped or I presume that you got nothing (laughter). I mean to say that the question raised by him, on what I said, I consider that he could not understand and get it.		
2.	**ਮੁੱਖ ਮੰਤਰੀ (ਸਰਦਾਰ ਪਰਕਾਸ਼ ਸਿੰਘ (ਬਾਦਲ) :** ਸਰਦਾਰ ਅਮਰਿੰਦਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਹੁਰੀਂ ਤਸ਼ਰੀਫ ਲਿਆਏ ਹਨ, ਮੈਂ ਇਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਨੂੰ ਜੀ ਆਇਆਂ ਆਖਦਾ ਹਾਂ। (ਥੰਪਿੰਗ) ਬਹੁਤ ਧੰਨਵਾਦ। ਬੜਾ ਦਿਲ ਕਰਦਾ ਸੀ ਦਰਸ਼ਨ ਕਰਨ ਨੂੰ (ਹਾਸਾ) **Chief Minister (Sardar Parkash Singh Badal) :** Sardar Amarinder Singh has arrived in the House. I welcome him (thumping) Very very thanks. I was very eager to see him (laughter). **ਕੈਪਟਨ ਅਮਰਿੰਦਰ ਸਿੰਘ (ਬੈਠੇ-ਬੈਠੇ) :** ਈ-ਮੇਲ ਐਡਰੈਸ ਦੇ ਦਿਉ, ਮੈਂ ਫੋਟੋ ਭੇਜ ਦਿਆ ਕਰਾਂਗਾ। **Captain Amarinder Singh (While sitting) :** Give me e-mail address, I will send my photograph. **ਮੁੱਖ ਮੰਤਰੀ (ਸਰਦਾਰ ਪਰਕਾਸ਼ ਸਿੰਘ ਬਾਦਲ) :** ਕੋਈ ਨਹੀਂ, ਭੇਜ ਦੇਣਾ। ਜੇਕਰ ਆਖੋਗੇ ਤਾਂ ਮੈਂ ਤਾਂ ਡਰਾਇੰਗ ਰੂਮ ਵਿਚ ਤੁਹਾਡੀ ਫੋਟੋ ਲਗਾ ਦਿਆਂਗਾ (ਹਾਸਾ) ਕਿਉਂ ਲਗਾਵਾਂਗਾ, ਇਹ ਵੀ ਦੱਸ ਦਿੰਦਾ ਹਾਂ, ਇਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਦੀ ਮਿਹਰਬਾਨੀ ਨਾਲ ਮੈਂ ਦੁਬਾਰਾ ਚੀਫ ਮਨਿਸਟਰ ਆਇਆ ਹਾਂ (ਹਾਸਾ) ਮੈਂ ਤਾਂ ਸਹੀ ਗੱਲ ਦੱਸਦਾ	(When used with reference to the presence of Captain Amarinder Singh, M.L.A., ex-Chief Minister)	25-6-2012

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	ਹਾਂ। ਮੇਰੇ ਤੇ ਜਾਂ ਤਾਂ ਅਕਾਲ ਪੁਰਖ ਦੀ ਮਿਹਰ ਹੋਈ ਹੈ ਜਾਂ ਸਰਦਾਰ ਅਮਰਿੰਦਰ ਸਿੰਘ ਦੀ ਮਿਹਰ ਹੋਈ ਹੈ। **Chief Minister (Sardar Parkash Singh Badal) :** Don't worry send the photograph. If you nod, I will fix your photograph in my drawing room (laughter). Why to fix, it is also to be clarified that I am the Chief Minister again with his blessings (laughter). I speak the truth that I am either blessed by the Almighty or by Sardar Amarinder Singh.		
3.	**ਡਾ. ਦਲਜੀਤ ਸਿੰਘ ਚੀਮਾ :** ਮੈਨੂੰ ਹਾਸੇ ਦੀ ਇਕ ਗੱਲ ਯਾਦ ਆਉਂਦੀ ਹੈ। ਇਕ ਕੋਈ ਬੰਦਾ ਸੀ। ਉਹ ਮੇਲੇ ਦੇ ਵਿਚ ਉਲੂ ਵੇਖ ਰਿਹਾ ਸੀ। ਉਹ ਪੁੱਛਣ ਲਗ ਗਿਆ ਕਿ ਭਾਅ ਉਲੂ ਕਿੰਨੇ ਦਾ ਲਗਾਉਣਾ ਹੈ। ਉਹ ਕਹਿੰਦਾ ਜਿਹੜਾ ਵੱਡਾ ਹੈ ਇਹ 300 ਰੁਪਏ ਦਾ ਅਤੇ ਛੋਟਾ 600 ਰੁਪਏ ਦਾ । ਉਹ ਕਹਿੰਦਾ ਤੂੰ ਕਮਾਲ ਦਾ ਬੰਦਾ ਹੈਂ, ਵੱਡਾ ਤਾਂ ਤੈਨੂੰ ਮਿਹਨਤ ਕਰਕੇ ਪਾਲਣਾ ਪਿਆ, ਇਹ ਤੂੰ ਸਸਤਾ ਵੇਚ ਰਿਹਾ ਹੈਂ ਅਤੇ ਛੋਟੇ ਦਾ 600 ਮੰਗੀ ਜਾਂਦੈਂ । ਉਹ ਕਹਿੰਦਾ ਮੇਰੇ ਆਪਣੇ ਮਾਪ ਦੰਡ ਹਨ, ਤੁਸੀਂ ਲੈਣਾ ਹੈ ਤਾਂ ਲਓ, ਨਹੀਂ ਲੈਣਾ ਤਾਂ ਨਾ ਲਓ। ਉਹ ਕਹਿੰਦਾ ਬਈ ਤੇਰੇ ਮਾਪ ਦੰਡ ਕੀ ਹਨ ? ਉਹ ਕਹਿੰਦਾ ਵੱਡਾ ਤਾਂ ਇਕੱਲਾ ਉਲੂ ਹੈ, ਇਸ ਕਰਕੇ 300 ਰੁਪਏ ਦਾ ਹੈ ਅਤੇ ਛੋਟਾ ਉਲੂ ਵੀ ਹੈ ਅਤੇ ਉਲੂ ਦਾ ਪੱਠਾ ਵੀ ਹੈ। (ਹਾਸਾ)	(When used with reference to a Member of Opposition Party)	25-6-2012

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	Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema : I remember a joke.There was a man. He was looking for owls in the fair. He asked, "Brother, what is the price on an owl." The shopkeeper said, "the big owl is for Rs. 300 and the small owl is for Rs. 600." He says, "You are a wonderful man, you have brought-up the big owl with assiduity, you are selling it at cheap price whereas you are demanding Rs. 600 for the small owl." He says "I have my own criteria. It is up to you to take it or not." He says what is your criterion. The shopkeeper says that the big owl is only an owl that is why the price of it is Rs. 300 and the small is an owl as well as an owl's disciple (laughter).		
4.	**ਰਾਣਾ ਗੁਰਮੀਤ ਸਿੰਘ ਸੋਢੀ :** ਸਰ, ਮੈਨੂੰ on the Floor of the House ਸੁਜੈਸ਼ਨ ਦੇ ਲੈਣ ਦਿਓ।	(When used with reference to a Member of the Opposition Party)	27-6-2012
	Rana Gurmit Singh Sodhi : Sir, let me give a suggestion on the Floor of the House.		
	ਮੁੱਖ ਮੰਤਰੀ (ਸਰਦਾਰ ਪਰਕਾਸ਼ ਸਿੰਘ ਬਾਦਲ) : ਮੇਰੀ ਬੇਨਤੀ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਇਨ੍ਹਾਂ ਨੇ ਸੁਜੈਸ਼ਨ ਦੇ ਕੇ ਇੱਕ ਬੰਦਾ (ਸਾਬਕਾ ਮੁੱਖ ਮੰਤਰੀ) ਤਾਂ ਮਰਵਾ ਦਿੱਤਾ ਹੈ।		
	Chief Minister (Sardar Parkash Singh Badal) : I request that he got a man (former Chief Minister) killed by giving a suggestion.		

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5.	**ਮੁੱਖ ਸੰਸਦੀ ਸਕੱਤਰ, ਖੇਤੀਬਾੜੀ (ਸਰਦਾਰ ਸੋਹਣ ਸਿੰਘ ਠੰਡਲ) :** .. ਸੈਂਟਰ ਪੰਜਾਬ ਨੂੰ ਜਿਹੜੀ ਸਕੀਮ ਦਿੰਦਾ ਹੈ, ਉਹ ਗੱਡੇ ਨਾਲ ਕੱਟਾ ਬੰਨ ਦਿੰਦਾ ਹੈ।.. **Chief Parliamentary Secretary, Agriculture (Sardar Sohan Singh Thandal) :** Whenever the Centre launches any scheme for Punjab State, it puts cart before the horse.	(When used with reference to Opposition Party)	28-6-2012

APPENDIX-I

28. BULLETINS PERTAINING TO THE SECOND SESSION, 2012

BULLETIN NO. 1

Tuesday, the 19th June, 2012
(From 2.00 P.M. to 2.12 P.M.)

1. OBITUARY REFERENCES :

The Hon'ble Speaker made references to the passing away of the following :—

1. Sardar Amarjit Singh Sahi, Chief Parliamentary Secretary ;
2. Sardar Joginder Singh Randhawa, ex-MLA
3. Shri Bhajan Singh, Freedom Fighter ;
4. Shri Balwant Rai Uppal, Freedom Fighter ;
5. Shri Ujagar Singh, Freedom Fighter ;
6. Shri Sudagar Singh, Freedom Fighter ;
7. Shri Karm Singh, Freedom Fighter ;
8. Shri Jarnail Singh, Freedom Fighter ;
9. Shri Parbhat Singh, Freedom Fighter ;
10. Shri Wassan Singh, Freedom Fighter;
11. Shri Sulakhan Singh, Freedom Fighter;
12. Shri Harsha Singh, Freedom Fighter;
13. Shri Jagbir Singh Chhina, Freedom Fighter;
14. Shri Ratnesh Singh Sodhi, renowned Punjabi Journalist ;

The Hon'ble Speaker paid rich tributes to the aforesaid great personalities and besides these, on making an appeal by Hon'ble Chief Minister, the massacre of cows which happened in Joga and on making an appeal by Shri Sunil Kumar Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition, the catastrophe of Jalandhar factory wherein 60 to 70 labourers died, that these should also be included in the list of Obituary References, the Hon'ble Speaker included them as well in the List of Obituary References.

The Hon'ble Speaker informed the House that condolence messages would be sent to the bereaved families.

The House then stood in silence for two minutes as a mark of respect to the departed souls.

The House, then adjourned, without transacting any other Business till 10.00 A.M. on Wednesday, the 20th June, 2012.

BULLETIN NO. 2

Wednesday, the 20th June, 2012
(From 10.00 A.M. to 11.32 A.M.)

PRESENTATION OF BUDGET ESTIMATES FOR THE YEAR 2012-13

The Finance Minister presented Budget Estimates for the year 2012-13 and while doing so, he spoke for one hour and thirty-two minutes.

The House then adjourned till 10.00 A.M. on Thursday, the 21st June, 2012.

BULLETIN NO. 3

Thursday, the 21st June, 2012
(From 10.00 A.M. to 1.22 P.M.)

1. Questions :

(a) STARRED

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	14	1	1	4	19

(b) UNSTARRED : 10

2. Announcement by the Hon'ble Speaker :

The Hon'ble Speaker made an announcement under Rule 13(1) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) regarding nomination of the following Members to serve on the Panel of Chairmen :—

1. Sardar Gurtej Singh Ghuriana ;
2. Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan ;
3. Sardar Laal Singh ; and
4. Shri Manoranjan Kalia.

3. Announcement by the Secretary :

The Secretary laid on the Table of the House a statement showing the Bills which were passed by the 14th Vidhan Sabha during its first Session and which had since been assented to by the Governor.

4. Calling Attention Notices :

1. **Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, MLA,** drew the attention of the Government towards miserable condition of children who are nature challenged and unable to study for lack of required facilities and faculties in schools.

(No. 3)

The Minister for Social Security and Development of Women and Children Welfare made a statement.

2. **Sardar Gurpartap Singh Wadala, MLA,** drew the attention of the Government towards necessity of implementing "Rain-water Harvesting System" keeping in view the depleting water level.

(No. 4)

The Minister for Irrigation made a statement.

3. **Sardar Gurpartap Singh Wadala, MLA,** drew the attention of the Government towards the need of brick-lining of Bist-Doab Canal.

(No. 5)

The Minister for Irrigation made a statement.

5. First Report of the Business Advisory Committee :

The Hon'ble Speaker presented the First Report of the Business Advisory Committee in the House regarding the Business to be transacted by the Punjab Vidhan Sabha in its Sittings from 21st June, 2012 to 29th June, 2012.

The following motion moved by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously :—

"That this House agrees with the recommendations contained in the First Report of the Business Advisory Committee."

6. Papers Re-laid on the Table :

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister Re-laid on the Table of the House papers as mentioned at. Sr. No. 1 to 6 under item No. V in today's List of Business.

7. Statement made by the Hon'ble Chief Minister :

Hon'ble Chief Minister made a statement on the issue raised by Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition, regarding the responsibility of the Government to maintain peace and harmony in the State in the wake of construction of memorial related with the incident of attack carried out by the Army on Sri Darbar Sahib.

Non-official

8. Resolution :

Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, MLA, moved the following Resolution in the House.

> "This House recommends to the State Government to take-up the matter with the Central Government for taking immediate necessary steps to find a solution to the serious problem of foodgrains storage in the State".

While moving the Resolution, he spoke for three minutes.

9. Dharna :

Declaring the statement made by the Hon'ble Chief Minister as unsatisactory, all the Members of the Indian National Congress Party, present in the House, came to the Well of the House while raising anti-Government slogans and staged a Dharna.

10. Adjournments of the House for a short while :

During Zero Hour, declaring the statement made by the Hon'ble Chief Minister as unsatisfactory, all the Members of the Indian National Congress Party, present in the House, came into the Well of the House while raising anti-government slogans. Due to pandemonium in House, Hon'ble Speaker adjourned the House from 12.11 P.M. to 1.00 P.M. The House re-assembled at 1.00 P.M.

The House then adjourned till 2.00 P.M. on Monday, the 25th June, 2012.

BULLETIN NO. 4

Monday, the 25th June, 2012
(From 2.00 P.M. to 6.30 P.M.)

1. Questions :

(a) Starred

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	17	—	1	2	25

2. Statement made by the Hon'ble Chief Minister :

Hon'ble Chief Minister made a statement on the issue raised by Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition, during Zero Hour regarding power shortage in the State.

3. Calling Attention Notices :

1. **Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, MLA,** drew the attention of the Government towards mad rush of vehicular traffic on the stretch of National Highway No. 21 from Mohali to Kharar.

   (No. 7)

   The Public Works (B and R) Minister made a statement.

2. **Sardar Kewal Singh Dhillon, MLA,** drew the attention of the government towards inconvenience being caused to the people due to construction of Railway Over Bridge near S.D. College, Barnala.

   (No. 8)

   The Public Works (B and R) Minister made a statement.

4. Papers Re-laid/Laid on the Table :

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister Re-laid/Laid on the Table of the House, papers as mentioned at Serial No. 1 to 12 shown under item No. III in today's List of Business.

5. The Budget Estimates for the Year 2012-13 :

General Discussion on the Budget Estimates for the Year 2012-13

The following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :—

1.	Sardar Laal Singh, Indian National Congress	..	48 minutes
2.	Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema, Shiromani Akali Dal	..	1 hours 05 minutes
3.	Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party	..	27 minutes
4.	Sardar Gurkirat Singh Kotli, Indian National Congress	..	12 minutes
5.	Sardar Virsa Singh Valtoha, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	10 minutes

Due to the adjournment of the House, Sardar Virsa Singh Valtoha, Chief Parliamentary Secretary, will continue the discussion on 26th June, 2012.

Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, Member, Panel of Chairmen, occupied the Chair from 4.55 P.M. to 6.22 P.M.

The House then, adjourned till 10.00 A.M. on Tuesday, the 26th June, 2012.

BULLETIN NO. 5

Tuesday, the 26th June, 2012
(From 10.00 A.M. to 6.09 P.M.)

1. Questions :

(a) Starred

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	15	—	1	4	21

2. Adjournment of the House for a short while :

During Zero Hour, Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition, raised the matter in regard to high-handedness by the police during the Corporation Elections held in the State recently. Thereafter, all the Members of the Indian National Congress Party, present in the House, stood in their seats and came to the Well of the House while raising anti-government slogans. Due to pandemonium in the House, Hon'ble Speaker adjourned the House from 11.20 A.M. to 12.00 Noon. The House re-assembled at 12.00 Noon.

3. Calling Attention Notices :

Sardar Ajit Inder Singh Mofar, MLA, drew the attention of the Government towards non-cleaning of drains resulting in breach in Kotla Branch Canal.

(No. 11)

The Minister for Irrigation made a statement.

4. Papers Laid on the Table :

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister laid on the Table of the House papers as mentioned under Sr. No. III of today's List of Business.

5. The Budget Estimates for the Year 2012-13 :

Resumption of General Discussion on the Budget Estimates for the Year 2012-13 :

The following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :—

1. Sardar Virsa Singh Valtoha, Chief Parliamentary Secretary .. 47 minutes
2. Shri Ashwani Sekhri, Indian National Congress .. 25 minutes

3.	Sardar Manpreet Singh Ayali, Shiromani Akali Dal	..	11 minutes
4.	Sardar Ajit Inder Singh Mofar, Indian National Congress	..	15 minutes
5.	Smt. F. Nisara Khatoon, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	08 minutes
6.	Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, Indian National Congress	..	17 minutes
7.	Justice Nirmal Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	..	24 minutes
8.	Sardar Jagmohan Singh Kang, Indian National Congress	..	16 minutes
9.	Sardar Ajaib Singh Bhatti, Indian National Congress	..	11 minutes
10.	Sardar Hardyal Singh Kamboj Indian National Congress	..	05 minutes
11.	Shri Pawan Kumar Tinu, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	10 minutes
12.	Smt. Karan Kaur Brar, Indian National Congress	..	06 minutes
13.	Smt. Charanjit Kaur Bajwa, Indian National Congress	..	05 minutes
14.	Shri N. K. Sharma, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	11 minutes
15.	Sardar Parminder Singh Pinky, Indian National Congress	..	12 minutes
16.	Shri Parkash Chand Garg, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	13 minutes
17.	Sardar Balbir Singh Sidhu, Indian National Congress	..	03 minutes
18.	Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition	..	57 minutes

The Finance Minister, by way of reply, spoke for 54 minutes.

Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, Member, Panel of Chairmen, occupied the Chair from 12.52 P.M. to 2.24 P.M. , 4.18 P.M. to 4.26 P.M. and 4.57 P.M. to 6.09 P.M.

The House, then, adjourned till 10.00 A.M. on Wednesday, the 27th June, 2012.

BULLETIN NO. 6

Wednesday, the 27th June, 2012
(From 10.00 A.M. to 2.28 P.M.)

1. Questions :

(a) Starred

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not put	Postponed	Answered under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	15	1	2	2	24

2. Calling Attention Notices :

Sardar Jagmohan Singh Kang, MLA, drew the attention of the Government towards shortage of mining material (sand and bajri etc.) in the State.

(No. 15)

The Minister for Industries made a statement.

3. Adjournment of the House for a short while :

While expressing dissatisfaction on the reply of Industries Minister on Calling Attention Notice No. 15, all the Members of the Indian National Congress Party, present in the House, stood in their seats and came to the Well of the House while raising anti-government slogans. Due to pandemonium in the House, Hon'ble Speaker adjourned the House from 11.32 A.M. to 12.00 Noon and again from 12.00 Noon to 12.30 Noon. The House re-assembled at 12.30 P.M.

4. Financial Business :

(i) Discussion and Voting on Demands for Grants relating to the Budget Estimates for the year 2012-13.

The Finance Minister presented the Demands for Grants of Expenditure of the Punjab Government for the year 2012-13.

Demands No. 1 to 19 and 21 to 30 mentioned in the List of Business were put together for discussion and voting of the House and were carried.

The following Members took part in the discussion on Demands and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :—

1.	Shri Pawan Kumar Tinu, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	.. 17 minutes
2.	Sardar Ajaib Singh Bhatti, Indian National Congress	.. 04 minutes
3.	Sardar Pargat Singh, Shriomani Akali Dal	.. 06 minutes
4.	Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, Shironmani Akali Dal	.. 03 minutes
5.	Sardar Ajit Inder Singh Mofar, Indian National Congress	.. 03 minutes
6.	Sardar Balbir Singh Sidhu, Indian National Congress	.. 03 minutes
7.	Sardar Sohan Singh Thandal, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	.. 03 minutes
8.	Shri Ashwani Sekhri, Indian National Congress	.. 05 minutes
9.	Shri Som Parkash, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	.. 07 minutes
10.	Jathedar Tota Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	.. 06 minutes
11.	Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, Indian National Congress	.. 04 minutes
12.	Smt. Karan Kaur Brar, Indian National Congress	.. 01 minute
13.	Sardar Mantar Singh Brar, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	.. 07 minutes
14.	Sardar Jagmohan Singh Kang, Indian National Congress	.. 07 minutes
15.	Shri Brahm Mohindra, Indian National Congress	.. 04 minutes

16.	Shri N. K. Sharma, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	04 minutes
17.	Shri S.R. Kaler, Shiromani Akali Dal	..	06 minutes
18.	Sardar Ajaib Singh Bhatti, Indian National Congress	..	06 minutes
19.	Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition	..	02 minutes

The Finance Minister, by way of reply, spoke for three minutes.

(ii) The Punjab Appropriation (No. 2) Bill 2012 :

The Finance Minister introduced the Punjab Appropriation (No. 2) Bill, 2012 and moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Clauses 2 and 3, Schedule, Clause 1 and the Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Finance Minister "that the Punjab Appropriation (No. 2) Bill, 2012 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried."

The Hon'ble Deputy Speaker occupied the Chair from 2.13 P.M. to 2.16 P.M.

The House then, adjourned till 10.00 A.M. on Thursday, the 28th June, 2012.

BULLETIN NO. 7

Thursday, the 28th June, 2012
(From 10.00 A.M. to 2.30 P.M.)

1. Questions :

(a) Starred

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not put	Postponed	Answered under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	12	—	3	5	23

(b) Unstarred : 8

2. Statement by the Hon'ble Chief Minister :

The Chief Minister made a statement on the issue raised on 26th June, 2012, during Zero Hour by the Opposition Party that "Police high-handedness is going on under the vendetta policy of the Government."

3. Calling Attention Notices :

Sardar Tript Rajinder Singh Bajwa, MLA, drew the attention of the Government towards non-relieving of teachers/lecturers on deputation to Chandigarh Administration.

(No. 21)

The Minister for Education made a statement.

4. Papers laid on the Table :

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister laid on the Table of the House papers as mentioned under Sr. No. III of today's List of Business.

5. Resolutions :

The request made by Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, MLA, to Hon'ble Speaker that "the Resolution which was presented on 21st June, 2012 in regard to storage capacity of foodgrains has not been discussed. This matter is related with the interests of the farmers of Punjab and the people of the country and this is a very important issue which needs to be discussed urgently" was put for the approval of the House and carried, before discussion and consideration in the House.

Non-official

(i) Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, Shiromani Akali Dal, moved the following Resolution in the House. While doing so, he spoke for 12 minutes.

"This House recommends to the State Government to take up the matter with the Central Government for taking immediate necessary steps to find a solution to the serious problem of foodgrains storage in the State.

The following Resolution moved by Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, MLA, Shiromani Akali Dal, was carried unanimously as amended by the House that :—

"This House recommends to the State Government to take up the matter with the Central Government for taking immediate necessary steps to find a solution to the serious problem of foodgrains storage and its movement in the State."

The following Members took part in the discussion on the Resolution and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :—

1. Sardar Laal Singh, Indian National Congress .. 08 minutes
2. Smt. Mohinder Kaur Josh, Chief Parliamentary Secretary .. 09 minutes
3. Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, Indian National Congress .. 06 minutes
4. Shri Deep Malhotra, Shiromani Akali Dal .. 08 minutes
5. Sardar Darshan Singh Kotfatta, Shiromani Akali Dal .. 06 minutes
6. Sardar Sohan Singh Thandal, Chief Parliamentary Secretary .. 07 minutes
7. Jathedar Tota Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal .. 08 minutes

The Food and Civil Supplies Minister, by way of reply, spoke for 15 minutes.

(ii) Sardar Ajit Inder Singh Mofar, MLA, Indian National Congress, moved the following Resolution in the House. :—

"This House recommends to the State Government to take effective steps to control the stray dog population in view of the increasing number of dog-bite cases in the State and to provide appropriate treatment to the victims of dog bites so as to save them from rabies."

While moving Resolution, he spoke for three minutes.

The following Members took part in the discussion on the Resolution and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :—

1. Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, Indian National Congress .. 01 minute
2. Sardar Gurpartap Singh Wadala, Shiromani Akali Dal .. 06 minutes
3. Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, Shiromani Akali Dal .. 02 minutes
4. Shri S.R. Kaler, Shiromani Akali Dal .. 05 minutes
5. Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema, Shiromani Akali Dal .. 18 minutes

Sardar Gurtej Singh Ghuriana, Member Panel of Chairmen, occupied the Chair from 12.26 P.M. to 1.23 P.M.

The House then, adjourned till 10.00 A.M. on Friday, the 29th June, 2012.

BULLETIN NO. 8

Friday, the 29th June, 2012
(From 10.00 A.M. to 1.20 P.M.)

1. Questions :

(a) Starred

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	13	1	—	6	23

(b) Unstarred : 7

2. Resolution :

The Hon'ble Chief Minister moved the following Resolution, which was carried unanimously by the House :—

"That this House warmly welcomes Sardar Surjeet Singh who was discharged from jail and returned to the country after spending more than 30 years in Pakistani jails and congratulates him and his family and expresses gratitude to the Pakistan and Indian Government and strongly recommends to the Central Government to make earnest efforts to ensure the early release of Sardar Sarabjeet Singh who is behind the bars in Pakistani jails since the last 22 years and other Indian prisoners who have completed their terms of imprisonment.

This House feels that both the countries are already making all out efforts to make their relations cordial and the relations have strengthened due to opening of trade from Attari-Wagha Border recently. Similarly, these relations would strengthen further with the release of other Indian prisoners. I strongly appeal to the Indian Government by getting it unanimously passed in the House that Sardar Sarabjeet Singh should immediately be got released and the matter should be taken-up either by the Foreign Affairs Ministry or by the Hon'ble Prime Minister".

3. Calling Attention Notice :

1. **Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, MLA,** drew the attention of the Government towards starting of classes in the Government College at Amargarh this year from the month of July.

(No. 22)

The Minister for Education made a statement.

2. Calling Attention Notice No. 28 was not moved.

4. Motion under Rule 16 :

The following motion moved by Parliamentary Affairs Minister was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously :—

"That the Vidhan Sabha (Assembly) at its rising this day shall stand adjourned *sine die*".

5. Legislative Business :

(1) The Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Bill, 2012 (Replacing of Ordinance)

The Local Government, Medical Education and Research Minister introduced the Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Bill, 2012, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

During discussion on the Bill, Hon'ble Member Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, Indian National Congress, spoke for two minutes.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 and 3, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote fo the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Local Government, Medical Education and Research Minister, "that the Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Bill, 2012,be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

(2) The Punjab Municipal Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2012 (Replacing Ordinance)

The Local Government, Medical Education and Research Minister introduced the Punjab Municipal Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2012, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :

1.	Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, Indian National Congress	.. 3 minutes
2.	Sardar Jagmohan Singh Kang, Indian National Congress	.. 1 minute
3.	Shri Ashwani Sekhri, Indian National Congress	.. 1 minute

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 5, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Local Government, Medical Education and Research Minister "That The Punjab Municipal Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2012, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

(3) The Punjab Municipal Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2012 (Replacing Ordinance)

The Local Government, Medical Education and Research Minister introduced The Punjab Municipal Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2012, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 and 3, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Local Government, Medical Education and Research Minister "That the Punjab Municipal Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2012, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

(4) The Punjab Ex-Servicemen Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2012

The Hon'ble Chief Minister introduced the Punjab Ex-Servicemen Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2012, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 8, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Hon'ble Chief Minister "That the Punjab Ex-Servicemen Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2012, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

(5) The Chandigarh University Bill, 2012

The Education Minister introduced the Chandigarh University Bill, 2012, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :—

1. Shri Brahm Mohindra, Indian National Congress .. 07 minutes
2. Shri Ashwani Sekhri, Indian National Congress .. 04 minutes
3. Sardar Sohan Singh Thandal, Chief Parliamentary Secretary .. 02 minutes
4. Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition .. 06 minutes
5. Jathedar Tota Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal .. 03 minutes
6. Sardar Parkash Singh Badal, Chief Minister .. 03 minutes
7. Shri Anil Joshi, Industries Minister .. 01 minute

8. Sardar Jagmohan Singh Kang, Indian National Congress .. 02 minutes

9. Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema, Shiromani Akali Dal .. 06 minutes

10. Shri Pawan Kumar Tinu, Chief Parliamentary Secretary .. 04 minutes

The Education Minister gave a reply and while doing so, he spoke for six minutes.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 37, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

The motion moved by the Education Minister "that the Chandigarh University Bill, 2012, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

(6) **The Adesh University Bill, 2012**

The Education Minister introduced the Adesh University Bill, 2012, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :—

1. Smt. Karan Kaur Brar, Indian National Congress .. 3 minutes

2. Sardar Ajaib Singh Bhatti, Indian National Congress .. 5 minutes

3. Shri Parkash Chand Garg, Chief Parliamentary Secretray .. 3 minutes

4. Shri Prem Mittal, Shiromani Akali Dal .. 4 minutes

5. Sardar Jagmohan Singh Kang, Indian National Congress .. 1 minute

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 37, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

The motion moved by the Eudcation Minister "That the Adesh University Bill, 2012, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

(7) **The Punjab Common Infrastructure (Regulation and Maintenance) Bill, 2012.**

The Industries Minister introduced The Punjab Common Infrastructure (Regulation and Maintenance) Bill, 2012, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 22, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote House and carried unanimously.

The motion moved by the Industries Minister, "That the Punjab Common Infrastructure (Regulation and Maintenance) Bill, 2012, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

The House then, adjourned sine-die.

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29. COMMITTEE

(Nominated by the Speaker)

BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

[Nominated on 14th June, 2012 under Rule 208 (1)]

1.	Doctor Charnjit Singh Atwal, Speaker	..	*Ex-officio* Chairman
2.	Sardar Sukhbir Singh Badal, Deputy Chief Minister	..	Member
3.	Shri Chunni Lal Bhagat, Minister for Local Government	..	Member
4.	Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	..	Member
5.	Sardar Parminder Singh Dhindsa, Minister for Finance	..	Member
6.	Shri Sunil Jakhar, MLA and Leader of the Opposition	..	Member

SPECIAL INVITEES

1. Smt. Rajinder Kaur Bhattal, MLA ; and
2. Shri Manoranjan Kalia, MLA.

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PUNJAB VIDHAN SABHA SECRETARIAT, CHANDIGARH
FEBRUARY, 2013

PREFACE

The following pages contain Resume of Business transacted by the Fourteenth Vidhan Sabha during its Third Session. 2012 held from 17th December, 2012 to 21st December, 2012 together with the Bulletins issued daily after the adjournment of each Sitting of the Sabha.

It is hoped that the publication would be found useful by Members and others who may wish to know in detail what work was done each day by the Vidhan Sabha in the above mentioned Session.

Any suggestion for further improvement of this publication in future would be very gratefully welcomed.

CHANDIGARH
The 28th February, 2013

VED PARKASH
SECRETARY

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The Fourteenth Punjab Vidhan Sabha was summoned by an Order of the Governor, dated the 6th December, 2012 to meet for its Third Session in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha Hall, Vidhan Bhavan, Chandigarh at 2.00 p.m. on the 17th December, 2012 and it continued to meet till the 21st December, 2012 when it adjourned sine-die. It was later prorogued by an Order of the Governor dated the 11th January, 2013.

During the Session, the Sabha held five Sittings.

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2. PROGRAMME OBSERVED

Date	Programme observed
Monday, the 17th December, 2012 (2.00 P.M. to 2.21 P.M.)	Obituary references to the deaths of - 1. Shri Inder Kumar Gujral, Ex-Prime Minister of India; 2. Chief Justice (Retd.) S.S. Kang, Ex Governor of Kerala; 3. Shri Dara Singh, Rustam-e-Hind and Ex-MP; 4. Shri Rajesh Khanna, Famous Actor and Ex-MP; 5. Jathedar Zora Singh Bhagike, Ex-MLA; 6. Sardar Malkiat Singh Keetu, Ex-MLA; 7. Respectable Jagjit Singh Ji Maharaj, Head of Namdhari Sect; 8. Shri Bal Thackeray, Shiv Sena Supremo; 9. Sardar Mann Singh Manhera, Eminent Politician; 10. Jathedar Jagmail Singh Thuhi, Freedom Fighter; 11. Sardar Sadhu Singh, Freedom Fighter; 12. Sardar Gurcharn Singh, Freedom Fighter; 13. Sardar Pritam Singh, Freedom Fighter; 14. Sardar Naginder Singh, Freedom Fighter;

Date	Programme observed
	15. Shri Prabha Ram. Freedom Fighter;
	16. Sardar Kartar Singh. Freedom Fighter;
	17. Sardar Mukhtiar Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	18. Sardar Mohinder Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	19. Sardar Dawinder Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	20. Sardar Fauja Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	21. Shri Ram Murthi. Freedom Fighter;
	22. Sardar Jaspal Bhatti, Famous Cartoonist and Comedian;
	23. Shri A.K. Hangal, Renowned Artist;
	24. Shri Yash Chopra, Famous Director, Producer and Film maker;
	25. Shri Hakam Sufi, Renowned Sufi Punjabi Singer;
	26. Shri Avtar Jandialvi, Famous Punjabi Writer;
	27. Shayar Sarod Sudip, Famous Punjabi Shayar;
	28. Shri Ajaib Chittarkar, Eminent Shayar and Poet;
	29. Sardar Satwant Singh Kaleka, Eminent Trader of U.S.A.
	30. Jathedar Dilbag Singh, Ex Member of S.G.P.C.;

Date	Programme observed
	31. Bibi Harbans Kaur Sukhana, Member of S.G.P.C.;
	32. Pandit Ravi Shankar, Legendary Sitar Maestro;
	33. Shri Sarvan Kumar Verma, Famous Urdu Literator; and
	34. Smt. Amrita Chaudhary, Senior Journalist.
Tuesday, the 18th December, 2012 (10.00 A.M. to 1.05 P.M.)	1. Announcements made by the Speaker/ Secretary regarding Panel of Chairmen and Bills.
	2. Presentation and adoption of the First Report of the Business Advisory Committee.
	3. **Legislative Business-**
	i) The Punjab Village Common Lands (Regulation) Amendment Bill, 2012 (Passed)
	ii) The Punjab Town Improvement (Amendment) Bill, 2012 (Passed)
	iii) The Punjab Municipal (Second Amendment) Bill, 2012 (Passed)
	iv) The Punjab Municipal Corporation (Second Amendment) Bill, 2012 (Passed)

Date	Programme observed
	v) The Punjab (Institutions and Other Buildings) Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2012
Wednesday, the 19th December, 2012 (10.00 A.M. to 2.40 P.M.)	1. Discussion on law and order situation in the State of Punjab.
	2. Motion regarding suspension of Rana Gurjit Singh, MLA-
	i) "that Rule 97 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) be suspended."
	ii) "that Rana Gurjit Singh, MLA has today i.e. 19.12.2012 breached the decorum of the House by leaving his seat and using derogatory language against Sardar Bikram Singh Majithia, Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister while he was participating in the discussion on the issue of law and order situation in the State, therefore, he should either apologise to the House for his misconduct or be suspended from the services of the House for the remaning session of the House."
	(Carried)
	3. **Official Resolution-**
	"Whereas due to increase in the costs of the basic agricultural inputs and the Minimum Support Price (MSP) being unremunerative, the traditional cultivation

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	of wheat-paddy is no more profitable. That is why the farmers of the State at the moment are reeling under severe financial crisis. At present the farmers of the State are under a debt of Rs. 35,000 crores. Planting of paddy has also resulted in the steep declining of water table in the State. So, now it is the need of the hour that instead of rotational cultivaton of wheat and paddy, cultivation of various other crops should be encouraged so as to provide relief to the farmers in this hour of crisis as they always stood by the country in the face of difficult times. The Central Government is also stating that the other States are also increasing the yield of paddy and Punjab has to look out for some other alternative crops.
	Whenever the State farmers have been confronted with difficulties the Central Government has always back stepped from its duties. During the Kharif 2012 there was 65-70% scanty rainfall from July to August month and the farmers of the State were facing severe drought like conditions. Group of Ministers headed by Union Minister of Agriculture Shri Sharad Pawar and Union Minister for Rural Development and Panchayats, Shri Jai Ram Ramesh on

Date	Programme observed
	behalf of the Central Government visited Chandigarh and took stock of the situation in Punjab and while accepting this situation they assured granting of relief package during a Press Conference. In spite of that no relief has been provided so far to the farmers in the State.

Comprehensive diversification mission is the need of the hour to tide over the crisis of farming. Therefore, this House desires that the following special programmes should be initiated by the Central Government in order to implement the crop diversification in Punjab also in an effective way on the pattern of similar programme started to encourage farming in the Eastern States of the country :-

1. Remunerative support prices for alternative crops as maize, cotton, sugarcane, oilseeds and pulses and arrangement of assured procurement of such crops like wheat and paddy and Minimum Support Price (MSP) be made.
2. Research Centres for pulses and soyabean must be established by Indian Agriculture Rsearch Council in the State in order to increase the yield of these crops.

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	3. Live Stock Sector can also play an important role in the crop diversification. Hence, in order to encourage this sector similar facilities like concessional interest rates and income tax rebate commensurating with agriculture should be extended.
	4. A Central Research Centre be established in order to develop fisheries in the State.
	5. The same concessions be given to the agricultural sector in the State as given to neighbouring Hilly States of Punjab.
	6. "The Diversification Mission" grant of Rs. 5,000 crore be given to Green Revolution States including Punjab on the analogy of BGREI (Bring Green Revolution to Eastern India) under 12th Five Year Plan.
	7. During Kharif, 2012, in order to provide drought relief in the State, relief package, as given assurance to the farmers of the State and to the State Government, may be released immediately, which especially includes:-
	i) Relief of Rs, 3000 per hectare in lieu of extra expenditure incurred by the farmers in order to save their paddy crops.
	ii) Expenditure of Rs. 1530 crore be immediately reimbursed by the Central

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	Government which was incurred by the Government of Punjab to purchase power from outside in order to supply surplus power to the farmers to cultivate their crops." (Carried)
Thursday, the 20th December, 2012 (10.00 A.M. to 3.10 P.M.)	1.. Obituary references to the death of Raja Narinder Singh, Ex-Minister, Punjab.
	2. Substantive Motion- "This House strongly condemns the indecent behaviour of the Members of the Opposition shown towards Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs as he tried to make contact with the Leader of Opposition to apprise him about the feelings of the House regarding revoking of Motion moved a day before and to urge them to participate in the proceedings of the House to maintain the values of the democracy and to extend co-operation for the smooth functioning of the House as per the decision taken by the House." (Carried)
	3. Further discussion on law and order situation in the state of Punjab. (Discussed)

Date	Programme observed
	4. **Non-Official Resolutions-**
	i) "This House recommends to the State Government to raise the matter with the Central Government to take concrete steps to ensure the economic development of the country by making concerted efforts which will result in promotion of mutual friendship, peace and amity between Indo-Pak, it should further stress upon the need to allow uninterrupted pilgrimage to the religious places and to enhance bilateral trade as well as to and fro transportation through road route from Attari in Punjab and on other International Borders." (Carried)
	ii) "This House recommends to the State Government to take up the matter with the Central Government to formulate Central schemes for carrying out development of Backward Classes of the States keeping in view the financial, geographical and environmental conditions of the various States." (Talked out)
Firday, the 21st December, 2012 (10.00 A.M. to 2.38 P.M.)	1. Motion under Rule 16 regarding adjournment of the House sine-die.
	2. Presentation and adoption of the Report of General Purposes Committee for the year 2012-13.

Date	Programme observed

3. Legislative Business-

i) Motion regarding withdrawal of the Punjab Compulsory Registration of Marriages Bill, 2008 which was introduced in and passed by the 13th Punjab Vidhan Sabha during its 4th Session, 2008 on the 12th March, 2008 and the assent thereof is awaited.

(Carried)

ii) Motion regarding withdrawal of the Punjab Prevention of Human Smuggling Bill, 2010 which was introduced in and passed by the 13th Punjab Vidhan Sabha during its 10th Session, 2010 on the 1st October, 2010 and the assent thereof is awaited.

(Carried)

iii) The Punjab Safety Measures for Prevention and Control of Fire Bill, 2012

(Passed)

iv) The Punjab Value Added Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2012

(Passed)

v) The Punjab State Board of Technical Education and Industrial Training (Amendment) Bill, 2012

(Passed)

Date	Programme observed
	vi) The DAV University Bill, 2012 (Passed as amended)
	vii) The Desh Bhagat University Bill, 2012 (Passed as amended)
	viii) The Punjab Privately Managed Affiliated and Punjab Government Aided Colleges, Pensionary Benefits Scheme, 1996 (Repeal) Bill, 2012 (Passed)
	ix) The Punjab Motor Vehicles Taxation (Amendment) Bill, 2012 (Withdrawn)
	x) The Punjab Agricultural Produce Markets (Amendment) Bill, 2012 (Passed)
	xi) The Punjab Prevention of Human Smuggling Bill, 2012 (Passed)
	xii) The Punjab Land Revenue (Amendment) Bill, 2012 (Passed)
	xiii) The Punjab Courts (Amendment) Bill, 2012 (Passed)
	xiv) The Punjab State Commission for Minorities Bill, 2012 (Passed)

Date	Programme observed
	xv) The Punjab Compulsory Registration of Marriages Bill, 2012 (Passed)
	xvi) The Punjab Scheduled Castes Land Development and Finance Corporation (Amendment and Validation) Bill, 2012 (Passed)
	xvii) The Punjab Backward Classes Land Development and Finance Corporation (Amendment and Validation) Bill, 2012 (Passed)
	xviii) The Northern India Canal and Drainage (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2012 (Passed)
	xix) The Indian Stamp Duty (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2012 (Passed)
	4. Motion regarding authorizing Hon'ble Speaker to nominate two Members for the Senate of Panjab University, Chandigarh. (Carried)

3. PANEL OF CHAIRMEN

On the 7th December, 2012 the Speaker nominated the following Members to serve on the Panel of Chairmen under Rule 13(1) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) and an announcement was made by the Hon'ble Speaker in the House on the 18th December, 2012:-

1. Sardar Gurtej Singh Ghuriana,
2. Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan,
3. Sardar Laal Singh, and
4. Shri Manoranjan Kalia.

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4. OBITUARY REFERENCES

References to the deaths of the following were made by the Hon'ble Speaker on the following dates:-

1. Shri Inder Kumar Gujral, Ex-Prime Minister of India;
2. Chief Justice (Retd.) S.S.Kang, Ex Governor of Kerala;
3. Shri Dara Singh, Rustam-e-Hind and Ex-MP;
4. Shri Rajesh Khanna, Famous Actor and Ex-MP;
5. Jathedar Zora Singh Bhagike, Ex-MLA;

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6. Sardar Malkiat Singh Keetu, Ex-MLA;

7. Respectable Jagjit Singh Ji Maharaj, Head of Namdhari Sect;

8. Shri Bal Thackeray, Shiv Sena Supremo;

9. Sardar Mann Singh Manhera, Eminent Politician;

10. Jathedar Jagmail Singh Thuhi, Freedom Fighter;

11. Sardar Sadhu Singh, Freedom Fighter;

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23. Shri A.K. Hangal, Renowned Artist;

24. Shri Yash Chopra, Famous Director, Producer and Film maker;

} **17-12-2012**

25.	Shri Hakam Sufi, Renowned Sufi Punjabi Singer;	17-12-2012
26.	Shri Avtar Jandialvi, Famous Punjabi Writer;	
27.	Shayar Sarod Sudip, Famous Punjabi Shayar;	
28.	Shri Ajaib Chittarkar, Eminent Shayar and Poet;	
29.	Sardar Satwant Singh Kaleka, Eminent Trader of U.S.A.;	
30.	Jathedar Dilbag Singh, Ex Member of S.G.P.C.;	
31.	Bibi Harbans Kaur Sukhana, Member of S.G.P.C.;	
32.	Pandit Ravi Shankar, Legendary Sitar Maestro;	
33.	Shri Sarvan Kumar Verma, Famous Urdu Literator;	
34.	Smt. Amrita Chaudhary, Senior Journalist; and	
35.	Raja Narinder Singh, Ex-Minister, Punjab.	20-12-2012

All the Members stood in silence for two minutes as a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased.

5. LEGISLATION

The Sabha transacted Legislative business on 18-12-2012 and 21-12-2012.

I. Officail Bills

The Sabha passed 21 Bills in all (including one Repeal Bill, Six Principal Bills and 14 amending Bills). (See Table)

II. Non Officail Bills

NIL

TABLE

Sr. No.	Title of the Bill	Minister Introducing	Date of Introduction	Date of Consideration	Number of Speeches			Time taken in Minutes			Amendment Proposed			Amendments not moved/ withdrawn/held out of order/ leave refused			Amendments Carried			Total Time taken in minutes for the disposal of the Bills	Date of Passing	Remarks
					SAD BJP (Treasury)	INC	IND	SAD BJP (Treasury)	INC	IND	SAD BJP (Treasury)	INC	IND	SAD BJP (Treasury)	INC	IND	SAD BJP (Treasury)	INC	IND			
1.	The Punjab Village Common Lands (Regulation) Amendment Bill, 2012	Rural Development and Panchayats Minister	18-12-12	18-12-12	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	18-12-12	
2.	The Punjab Town Improvement (Amendment) Bill, 2012	Local Government Minister	18-12-12	18-12-12	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	18-12-12	
3.	The Punjab Municipal (Second Amendment) Bill, 2012	Local Government Minister	18-12-12	18-12-12	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	18-12-12	
4.	The Punjab Municipal Corporation (Second Amendment) Bill, 2012	Local Government Minister	18-12-12	18-12-12	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	18-12-12	

5.	The Punjab (Institutions and Other Buildings) Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2012	Deputy Chief Minister	18-12-12	18-12-12	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	18-12-12	
6.	The Punjab Compulsory Registration of Marriages Bill, 2008	Transport Minister	12-3-08	12-3-08	Withdrawn on 21-12-12																	
7.	The Punjab Prevention of Human Smuggling Bill, 2010	Deputy Chief Minister	1-10-10	1-10-10	Withdrawn on 21-12-12																	
8.	The Punjab Safety Measures for Prevention and Control of Fire Bill, 2012	Local Govern-ment Minister	21-12-12	21-12-12	2	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	21-12-12	
9.	The Punjab Value Added Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2012	Deputy Chief Minister	21-12-12	21-12-12	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	21-12-12	
10.	The Punjab State Board of Technical Education and Industrial Training (Amendment) Bill, 2012	Technical Education Minister	21-12-12	21-12-12	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	21-12-12	
11.	The DAV University Bill, 2012	Higher Education Minister	21-12-12	21-12-12	7	-	-	41	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	41	21-12-12	

12.	The Desh Bhagat University Bill, 2012	Higher Education Minister	21-12-12	21-12-12	4	-	-	12.30	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	13	21-12-12	
13.	The Punjab Privately Managed Affiliated and Punjab Government Aided Colleges, Pensionary Benefits Scheme, 1996 (Repeal) Bill, 2012	Higher Education Minister	21-12-12	21-12-12	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	21-12-12	
14.	The Punjab Motor Vehicles Taxation (Amendment) Bill, 2012	Transport Minister	21-12-12	21-12-12	4	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	With-drawn on 21-12-12	
15.	The Punjab Agricultural Produce Markets (Amendment) Bill, 2012	Chief Minister	21-12-12	21-12-12	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	21-12-12	
16.	The Punjab Prevention of Human Smuggling Bill, 2012	Deputy Chief Minister	21-12-12	21-12-12	1	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	21-12-12	
17.	The Punjab Land Revenue (Amendment) Bill, 2012	Revenue & Rehabilitation Minister	21-12-12	21-12-12	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	21-12-12	

18.	The Punjab Courts (Amendment) Bill, 2012	Chief Minister	21-12-12	21-12-12	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	21-12-12	
19.	The Punjab State Commission for Minorities Bill, 2012	Deputy Chief Minister	21-12-12	21-12-12	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	21-12-12	
20.	The Punjab Compulsory Registration of Marriages Bill, 2012	Transport Minister	21-12-12	21-12-12	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	21-12-12	
21.	The Punjab Scheduled Castes Land Development and Finance Corporation (Amendment and Validation) Bill, 2012	Welfare Minister	21-12-12	21-12-12	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	21-12-12	
22.	The Punjab Backward Classes Land Development and Finance Corporation (Amendment and Validation) Bill, 2012	Welfare Minister	21-12-12	21-12-12	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	21-12-12	

23.	The Northern India Canal and Drainage (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2012	Finance Minister	21-12-12	21-12-12	2	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	21-12-12	
24.	The Indian Stamp Duty (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2012	Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister	21-12-12	21-12-12	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	21-12-12	

6. SYNOPSIS OF BILLS PASSED BY THE VIDHAN SABHA

1. The Punjab Village Common Lands (Regulation) Amendment Bill, 2012

(Introduced and passed on the 18th December, 2012)

This Bill replaces the Punjab Village Common Lands (Regulation) Amendment Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 5 of 2012), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so as to enable a Gram Panchayat to transfer in public interest more than fifty percent of culturable area to a project executed by the Department, Board or Corporation of Government of Punjab when such land is disposed of by way of sale, gift or exchange.

2. The Punjab Town Improvement (Amendment) Bill, 2012

(Introduced and passed on the 18th December, 2012)

The Bill replaces the Punjab Town Improvement (Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 11 of 2012), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so as to decrease the number of members of the Tribunal from three to one in order to accelerate the process of adjudication of cases of compensation of land.

3. The Punjab Municipal (Second Amendment), Bill, 2012

(Introduced and passed on the 18th December, 2012)

This Bill replaces the Punjab Municipal (Second Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 13 of 2012), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so as to levy of unit area based tax on land and buildings in order to reduce the dependence of Urban Local Bodies (ULBs) and for this purpose constitution of Zonal Committee and Unit Valuation Committee.

4. **The Punjab Municipal Corporation (Second Amendment) Bill, 2012**

(Introduced and passed on the 18th December, 2012)

This Bill replaces the Punjab Municipal Corporation. (Second Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 14 of 2012), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so as to levy of unit area based tax on land and buildings in order to reduce the dependence of Urban Local Bodies (ULBs) and for this purpose constitution of Zonal Committee and Unit Valuation Committee.

5. **The Punjab (Institutions and Other Buildings) Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2012**

(Introduced and passed on the 18th December, 2012)

This Bill replaces the Punjab (Institutions and Other Buildings) Tax (Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 16 of 2012), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so as to exempt hospitals run by the charitable trusts/societies from taxation under the provisions of the Punjab (Institutions and Other Buildings) Tax Act, 2011.

6. **The Punjab Safety Measures for Prevention and Control of Fire Bill, 2012**

(Introduced and passed on the 21st December, 2012)

This Bill replaces the Punjab Safety Measures for Prevention and Control of Fire Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 9 of 2012), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so as to make more effective provision for the safety measures for prevention and control of fire in buildings and premises and for the matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

7. **The Punjab Value Added Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2012**

(Introduced and passed on the 21st December, 2012)

This Bill replaces the Punjab Value Added Tax (Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 17 of 2012). which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so as to amend section 13 of Punjab Value Added Tax Act, 2005 in order to protect the State revenue by way of increasing input tax credit from 4% to 5%.

8. **The Punjab State Board of Technical Education and Industrial Training (Amendment) Bill, 2012**

(Introduced and passed on the 21st December, 2012)

This Bill replaces the Punjab State Board of Technical Education and Industrial Training (Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 8 of 2012), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so as to amend the long title of Principal Act.

9. **The DAV University Bill, 2012**

(Introduced and passed on the 21st December, 2012)

This Bill replaces the DAV University Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 5 of 2012), which was promulgated to establish and incorporate a University in the State of Punjab to be known as the DAV University, for the purposes of making provisions for instruction, research, consultancy and teaching and related activites at all levels in disciplines of higher education including professional, medical, dental sciences, engineering, architecture, pharmacy, Ayurveda, homeopathy, management, computer science, nursing education, law, religious studies, language and literature, media and performing arts, design, hotel management, airlines, tourism, fashion

design, animation and multimedia, para-medical, fine arts, dramatics and music, social sciences and applied sciences with a focus on emerging disciplines such as robotics, information technology, artificial intelligence, biotechnology, nanotechnology, ecology and environment, human rights, women studies, vocational and skill development, and to provide for the matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

10. The Desh Bhagat University Bill, 2012

(Introduced and passed on the 21st December, 2012)

This Bill replaces the Desh Bhagat University Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 7 of 2012), which was promulgated to establish and incorporate a University in the State of Punjab to be known as the Desh Bhagat University, for the purposes of making provisions for instruction, research, consultancy and teaching and to start courses at all levels in disciplines of higher education including professional, medical, dental sciences, engineering, architecture, pharmacy, Ayurveda, homeopathy, management, computer science, nursing education, law, religious studies, language and literature, media and performing arts, design, hotel management, airlines, tourism, fashion design, animation and multimedia, para-medical, fine arts, dramatics and music, social sciences and applied sciences with a focus on emerging disciplines such as robotics, information technology, artificial intelligence, biotechnology, nanotechnology, ecology and environment, human rights, women studies, polytechnics, vocational and skill development, and to provide for the provisions of study connected therewith or incidental thereto.

11. The Punjab Privately Managed Affiliated and Punjab Government Aided Colleges, Pensionary Benefits Scheme, 1996 (Repeal) Bill, 2012

(Introduced and passed on the 21st December, 2012)

This Bill seeks to provide for the repeal of the Punjab Privately Managed Affiliated and Punjab Government Aided College, Pensionary Benefits Scheme, 1996 and for the matters connected therewith.

12. The Punjab Agricultural Produce Markets (Amendment) Bill, 2012

(Introduced and passed on the 21st December, 2012)

This Bill replaces the Punjab Agricultural Produce Markets (Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 15 of 2012), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so as to supersede the nominated Market Committees in the State by appointing Administrator to hold office and exercise the powers and perform the function etc. of such Committees till the reconstitution of the Market Committees within one year.

13. The Punjab Prevention of Human Smuggling Bill, 2012

(Introduced and passed on the 21st December, 2012)

This Bill seeks to provide for regulation of the profession of travel agents with a view to check and curb their illegal and fraudulent activities, and malpractices of the persons involved in the organized human smuggling in the State of Punjab and for the matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

14. The Punjab Land Revenue (Amendment) Bill, 2012

(Introduced and passed on the 21st December, 2012)

This Bill seeks to amend Section 16 of the Principal Act in order to restore the revisional powers vested in Financial Commissioner for the revenue cases which were earlier withdrawn by passing "The Punjab Land Revenue (Amendment) Bill, 2011".

15. **The Punjab Courts (Amendment) Bill, 2012**

(Introduced and passed on the 21st December, 2012)

This Bill seeks to amend the principal Act, in order to change the nomenclature of the designation of Civil Judges in view of the Judgment of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.

16. **The Punjab State Commission for Minorities Bill, 2012**

(Introduced and passed on the 21st December, 2012)

This Bill replaces the Punjab State Commission for Minorities Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 12 of 2012), which was promulgated to constitute a Commission for Minorities in the State of Punjab with a view to protecting and safeguarding the interest of minority communities, to recommend additional social, economic, educational and cultural requirements of religious and linguistic minorities and to preserve secular traditions, promote national integration and for the matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

17. **The Punjab Compulsory Registration of Marriages Bill, 2012**

(Introduced and passed on the 21st December, 2012)

This Bill seeks to provide for the compulsory registration of marriages solemnized under any law governing the parties irrespective of their religon, caste, creed or nationality and for the matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

18. **The Punjab Scheduled Castes Land Development and Finance Corporation (Amendment and Validation) Bill, 2012**

(Introduced and passed on the 21st December, 2012)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to appoint one of the Directors as Vice-Chairman of the Corporation in order to give more representation to the Scheduled Castes due to increase in population of Scheduled Castes.

19. The Punjab Backward Classes Land Development and Finance Corporation (Amendment and Validation) Bill, 2012

(Introduced and passed on the 21st December, 2012)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to appoint one of the Directors as Vice-Chairman of the Corporation in order to give more representation to the Backward Classes due to increase in population of Backward Classes.

20. The Northern India Canal and Drainage (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2012

(Introduced and passed on the 21st December, 2012)

This Bill replaces the Northern India Canal and Drainage (Punjab Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 4 of 2012) which was promulgated to amend the principal Act, so as to enhance the amount of fine and the period of imprisonment in respect of those who pilfer canal water.

21. The Indian Stamp (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2012

(Introduced and passed on the 21st December, 2012)

This Bill seeks to amend the principal Act, so as to levy 1% "Social Infrastructure Cess" as an additional stamp duty on every instrument mentioned in Entry 23 of Schedule 1 A of the Indian Stamp Act, 1899.

7. RESOLUTION

(i) Official

The following Resolution was moved on the 19th December, 2012 by the Hon'ble Chief Minister:-

"Whereas due to increase in the costs of the basic agricultural inputs and the Minimum Support Price (MSP) being unremunerative, the traditional cultivation of wheat-paddy is no more profitable. That is why the farmers of the State at the moment are reeling under servere financial crisis. At present the farmers of the State are under a debt of Rs. 35,000 crores. Planting of paddy has also resulted in the steep declining of water table in the State. So, now it is the need of the hour that instead of rotational cultivation of wheat and paddy, cultivation of various other crops should be encouraged so as to provide relief to the farmers in this hour of crisis as they always stood by the Country in the face of difficult times. The Central Government is also stating that the other States are also increasing the yield of paddy and Punjab has to look out for some other alternative crops.

Whenever the State farmers have been confronted with difficulties, the Central Government has always back stepped from its duties. During the Kharif 2012, there was 65-70% scanty rainfall from July to August month and the farmers of the State were facing severe drought like conditions. Group of Ministers headed by Union Minister of Agriculture Shri Sharad Pawar and Union Minister for Rural Development and Panchayats, Shri Jai Ram Ramesh on behalf of the Central Government visited Chandigarh and took stock of the situation in Punjab and while accepting this situation they assured granting of relief package during a Press Conference. In spite of that no relief has been provided so far to the farmers in the State.

Comprehensive diversification mission is the need of the hour to tide over the crisis of farming. Therefore, this House desires that the following special programmes should be initiated by the Central Government in order

to implement the crop diversification in Punjab also in an effective way on the pattern of similar programme started to encourage farming in the Eastern States of the Country:-

1. Remunerative support prices for alternative crops as maize, cotton, sugarcane, oilseeds and pulses and arrangement of assured procurement of such crops like wheat and paddy and Minimum Support Price (MSP) be made.
2. Research Centres for pulses and soyabean must be established by Indian Agriculture Research Council in the State in order to increase the yield of these crops.
3. Live Stock Sector can also play an important role in the crop diversification. Hence, in order to encourage this sector similar facilities like concessional interest rates and income tax rebate commensurating with agriculture should be extended.
4. A Central Research Centre be established in order to develop fisheries in the State.
5. The same concessions be given to the agricultural sector in the State as given to neighbouring Hilly States of Punjab.
6. "The Diversification Mission" grant of Rs. 5,000 crore be given to Green Revolution States including Punjab on the analogy of BGREI (Bring Green Revolution to Eastern India) under 12th Five Year Plan.
7. During Kharif, 2012 in order to provide drought relief in the State, relief package, as assured to the farmers of the State and to the State Government, may be released immediately, which especially includes:-
   i) Relief of Rs. 3000 per hectare in lieu of extra expenditure incurred by the farmers in order to save their paddy crops.
   ii) Expenditure of Rs. 1530 crore be immediately reimbursed by the Central Government which was incurred by the Government of Punjab to purchase power from outside in order to supply surplus power to the farmers to cultivate their crops."

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

(ii) Non-Official

S.No.	Subject	Total	Treasury Benches SAD	Treasury Benches BJP	Indian National Congress	Independent
1.	No. of Notices received	95	91	---	4	---
2.	No. of Notices admitted	80	76	---	4	---
3.	No. of Notices disallowed	15	---	---	---	---
4.	No. of Notices referred back	---	---	---	---	---
5.	No. of Resolutions balloted	10	8	---	2	---
6.	Total No. of Resolutions lapsed on prorogation	'85	8	---	2	---
7.	No. of Ballots held	One				
8.	Date(s) on which Ballots held	20 December, 2012				
9.	Date on which Business other than Government Business transacted					

On Thursday, the 20th December, 2012 Sardar Harpreet Singh, MLA moved the following Resolution in the House :-

"This House recommends to the State Government to raise the matter with the Centre Government to take concrete steps to ensure the economic development of the country by making concerted efforts which will result in promotion of mutual friendship, peace and amity between Indo-Pak. It should further stress upon the need to allow uninterrupted pilgrimage to the religious places and to enhance bilateral trade as well as to and fro transportation through road route from Attari in Punjab and on other international borders."

The Resolution was discussed in the House for 49 minutes. Six Members from Treasury Benches took part in the discussion. The Resolution was put to the vote of the House and carried.

8. PAPERS RE-LAID/LAID

Sr. No.	By whom relaid/laid	Date on which relaid/laid	Subject
1.	2.	3.	4.
1.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	18.12.2012	1. i) The Punjab Village Common Lands (Regulation) Amendment Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 5 of 2012);
			ii) The Punjab State Board of Technical Education and Industrial Training (Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 8 of 2012);
			iii) The Punjab Safety Measures for Prevention and Control of Fire Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 9 of 2012);
			iv) The Punjab Town Improvement (Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 11 of 2012);
			v) The Punjab Municipal (Second Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 13 of 2012);
			vi) The Punjab Municipal Corporation (Second Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 14 of 2012);

Sr. No.	By whom relaid/laid	Date on which relaid/laid	Subject
1.	2.	3.	4.
			vii) The Punjab (Institutions and Other Buildings) Tax (Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 16 of 2012); and viii) The Punjab Value Added Tax (Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 17 of 2012), as required under Article 213 (2) (a) of the Constitution of India.
			2. i) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Single Point Supply to Co-operative Group Housing Societies/ Employers) (1st Amendment) Regulations, 2010; ii) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Electricity Supply Code and Related Matters) (1st Amendment) Regulations, 2010; iii) The Punjab State Grid Code (1st Amendment) 2010; iv) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Open Access) (Third Amendment) Regulations, 2010;

Sr. No.	By whom relaid/laid	Date on which relaid/laid	Subject
1.	2.	3.	4.
			v) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Renewable Purchase Obligation and its Compliance) Regulations, 2011; and
			vi) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions for Intra-State Open Access) Regulations, 2011,
			as required under Section 182 of the Electricity Act, 2003.
			3. The Punjab Police (First Amendment) Rules, 2011, as required under Section 80(2) of the Punjab Police Act, 2007.
2.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	19.12.2012	1. The 44th and 45th Annual Reports of the Punjab State Industrial Development Corporation Ltd., Chandigarh for the years 2009-10 and 2010-11, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
			2. The 16th Annual Report of the Punjab State Container & Warehousing Corporation Ltd., Chandigarh (CONWARE) for the

Sr. No.	By whom relaid/laid	Date on which relaid/laid	Subject
1.	2.	3.	4.
			year 2010-11, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
			3. The Annual Accounts and Audit Report of the PEPSU Road Transport Corporation Patiala for the year 2009-10, as required under Section 33(4) of the Road Transport Corporation Act, 1950 alongwith Statement explaining the reasons for delay in laying the above said Annual Accounts and Audit Report.
			4. The Administration Report of the PEPSU Road Transport Corporation, Patiala for the year 2009-10, as required under Section 35(3) of the Road Transport Corporation Act, 1950.
			5. The Annual Statement of Accounts of the Jalandhar Development Authority (JDA) for the years 2007-08 and 2008-09, as required under Section 53(5) of the Punjab Regional and Town Planning & Development Act, 1995.
			6. The Annual Reports of the Amritsar Development Authority, Amritsar

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1.	2.	3.	4.
			for the years 2007-08, 2008-09 and 2009-10 as required under section 54(2) of the Punjab Regional and Town Planning & Development Act, 1995.
			7. The Annual Statement of Accounts of the Greater Mohali Area Development Authority (GMADA) for the year 2009-10, as required under Section 53(5) of the Punjab Regional and Town Planning & Development Act. 1995.
			8. The Revised Annual Statement of Accounts for the years 2008-09 and 2009-10 and Annual Statement of Accounts for the year 2010-11 of the Punjab Urban Planning & Development Authority (PUDA), as required under Section 53(1) of the Punjab Regional and Town Planning & Development Act, 1995.
			9. The Annual Report of the Punjab Health Systems Corporation for the year 2010-11, as required under Section 21(4) of the Punjab Health Systems Corporation Act. 1996.

Sr. No.	By whom relaid/laid	Date on which relaid/laid	Subject
1.	2.	3.	4.
			10. The Annual Report of the Jalandhar Development Authority, Jalandhar (JDA) for the year 2010-11, as required under Section 54(2) of the Punjab Regional and Town Planning & Development Act, 1995.
			11. The Annual Audit Reports of the Patiala Urban Planning and Development Authority, Patiala for the years 2009-10 and 2010-11, as required under Section 53(1) of the Punjab Regional and Town Planning & Development Act, 1995.
			12. The Annual Statement of Accounts of the Bathinda Development Authority, Bathinda for the year 2007-08, as required under Section 53(5) of the Punjab Regional and Town Planning & Development Act, 1995.
3.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	20.12.2012	1. i) The Northern India Canal and Drainage (Punjab Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 4 of 2012);

Sr. No.	By whom relaid/laid	Date on which relaid/laid	Subject
1.	2.	3.	4.
			ii) The DAV University Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 6 of 2012); iii) The Desh Bhagat University Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 7 of 2012); iv) The Punjab Motor Vehicles Taxation (Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 10 of 2012); and v) The Punjab State Commission for Minorities Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 12 of 2012), as required under Article 213 (2)(a) of the Constitution of India.
			2. The Annual Statement of Accounts and Audit Report of State Legal Aid Fund for the years 2004-05 and 2005-06, as required under Section 18(6) of the Legal Services Authority Act, 1987.
			3. The Annual Report & Accounts of the Punjab Ex-Servicemen Corporation for the year 2010-11, as required under Section 23(6) of the Punjab Ex-Servicemen Corporation (PESCO) Act, 1978.

Sr. No.	By whom relaid/laid	Date on which relaid/laid	Subject
1.	2.	3.	4.
			4. The Balance Sheet and Profit & Loss Account of the Punjab Scheduled Castes Land Development and Finance Corporation, Chandigarh for the year ending 31st March, 2010, as required under Section 27(5) of the Punjab Scheduled Castes Land Development and Finance Corporation Act, 1970.
			5. The Annual Administrative Report of the Punjab Scheduled Castes Land Development and Finance Corporation, Chandigarh for the year 2010-11, as required under Section 27(6) of the Punjab Scheduled Castes Land Development and Finance Corporation Act, 1970.
			6. The Statements of trends in receipts and expenditure in relation to the Budget from 1.4.2011 to 31.3.2012 and 1.4.2012 to 30.6.2012, as required under Section 6(1) of the Punjab Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management Act, 2003.
			7. The 33rd Annual Report of the Punjab State Seeds Corporation Ltd. for the year 2008-09, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.

Sr. No.	By whom relaid/laid	Date on which relaid/laid	Subject
1.	2.	3.	4.
			8. The Annual Reports of the Bathinda Development Authority (B.D.A.) for the years 2007-08, 2008-09, 2009-10 and 2010-11, as required under Section 54(2) of the Punjab Regional and Town Planning & Development Act, 1995.
4.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	21.12.2012	1. The Punjab Agricultural Produce Markets (Amendment) Ordinance, 2012 (Punjab Ordinance No. 15 of 2012), as required under Article 213(2)(a) of the Constitution of India
			2. The Supplement Budget (Plan and Non-Plan Schemes) of the Department of Local Government, Punjab, Chandigarh for the year 2012-13 as per recommendations of the 13th Central Finance Commission.

9. REPORTS PRESENTED/LAID

Sr. No.	By whom presented/ laid	Date on which presented/ laid	Subject
1.	2.	3.	4.

I. BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

1.	Speaker	18-12-2012	First Report of the Business Advisory Committee.

II. GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE

2.	Speaker	21-12-2012	Report of the General Purposes Committee for the year 2012-13.

10. SUBSTANTIVE MOTION

The following Substantive Motion was moved on the 20th December, 2012 by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister which was carried by the House:-

"This House strongly condemns the indecent behaviour of the Members of the Opposition shown towards Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs as he tried to make contact with the Leader of Opposition to apprise him about the feelings of the House regarding revoking of Motion moved a day before and to urge them to participate in the proceedings of the House to maintain the values of the democracy and to extend co-operation for the smooth functioning of the House as per the decision taken by the House."

11. OTHER MOTIONS

Sr. No.	Minister/ Member Moving	Moved on	Discussed on	Subject	Remarks/ Decision
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.
1.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	18-12-2012	18-12-2012	Adoption of the recommendations contained in the First Report of the Business Advisory Committee.	Carried
2.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	19-12-2012	19-12-2012	Motion under Rule 97 reg. suspension of Rana Gurjit Singh, I.N.C. from the services of the House for the remaining period of Session of the House.	Carried
3.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	20-12-2012	20-12-2012	Substantive Motion condemning the indecent behaviour of the Members of the Opposition	Carried
4.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	21-12-2012	21-12-2012	Motion under Rule 16 regarding Adjournment of the House sine-die.	Carried
5.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	21-12-2012	21-12-2012	Motion regarding nomination of two Members for the Panjab University Senate.	Carried

12. Discussion on a Special Subject

Date(s) of Discussion	Subject
19-12-2012 & 20-12-2012	Law and Order situation in the State.

13. CALLING ATTENTION NOTICES UNDER RULE 66

In all, nine Notices of Calling Attention to matters of urgent public importance were received. Out of these, four were admitted. Out of the Admitted Notices, three could not be taken up in the House due to absence of Members concerned. The other Notices were disallowed by the Speaker in his Chamber on one ground or the other.

The detail of one Admitted Notice which was taken up in the House, is given below:-

Calling Attention Notice No.	Member(s) Calling Attention	Date	Subject	Remarks
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.
4	Sardar Mahesh Inder Singh	19-12-2012	Regarding Uranium contents in underground water of Bagha Purana City.	The Minister for Health and Family Welfare made a statement.

14. STATEMENT MADE IN REPLY TO MATTER RAISED DURING ZERO HOUR

One statement was made in reply to the matter raised by the Hon'ble Member during Zero Hour, the detail of which is as under:-

Sr. No. 1.	Date 2.	Made by 3.	Subject Matter 4.
1.	19-12-2012	Deputy Chief Minister	Regarding registration of a false case at Police Station Phul.

15. STATEMENT BY THE MINISTER

During this Session, only one statement, which was in reply to Call Attention Notice, was made by the Health & Family Welfare Minister.

16. COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF SPEECHES MADE AND TIME TAKEN

Number of Speeches made by				Time taken by			
Treasury Benches		Members of	Independents	Treasury Benches		Members of	Independents
Members excluding Ministers	Ministers	Indian National Congress Party		Members excluding Ministers	Ministers	Indian National Congress Party	
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.
				H.M.	H.M.	H.M.	H.M.
14	14	01	-	1.16	04.17	0.58	-
48.28	48.27	03.45	0.00	19.44	65.72	14.84	0.00
Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent	Per cent

Notes :

1. Observations/Statement/Rulings etc. made by the Chair and time taken thereon are not included in the above Statement.
2. Question Hour has been excluded from the above Statement.
3. Speeches made and time taken by the Chief Parliamentary Secetaries have been included in the category of Ministers.
4. Time taken on Division, Adjournment Motions, Call Attention Notices, Privilege Motions, No-Confidence Motions, Points of Order, Motion in respect of Legislation, Personal Explanations, Congratulatory Speeches, Presentation of Reports and Other Papers etc. is also excluded from the Statement.

17. SUSPENSION OF A MEMBER FROM THE SERVICE OF THE HOUSE

Sr. No.	Date	Member who was suspended	Occasion
1.	19.12.2012	Rana Gurjit Singh, INC	On 19.12.2012, the Member breached the decorum of the House by leaving his seat and using derogatory language against Sardar Bikram Singh Majithia, Revenue and Rehabilitation, Minister, while he was participating in the discussion on the issue of law and order situation in the State. The Parliamentary Affairs Minister moved a motion for suspension of Rule 97 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) and that the Member should either apologize to the House for his misconduct or he be suspended from the services of the House for the remaining period of Session of the House. The motion was carried. (Since the Member did not apologize to the House for his misconduct, he was suspended from the services of the House for the remaining Session of the House).

18. FIGURES RELATING TO QUESTIONS

1.	Total No. of Sittings of the Sabha	5
2.	Total No. of Notices of Questions received Starred Questions Unstarred Questions Short Notice Questions	 198 2 ---
3.	Total No. of Sittings at which Questions were not taken up	1
4.	Total No. of Members from whom Notices were received	45
5.	Total No. of Questions placed on the Order Paper Starred Questions Unstarred Questions Short Notice Questions	 80 7 ---
6.	Total No. of Starred Questions to which oral answers were given	34
7.	Total No. of Starred Questions deemed to have been answered under Rule-38	10
8.	Total No. of Starred Questions converted into Unstarred Questions	88
9.	Total No. of Unstarred Questions replied to	7
10.	Total No. of Starred Questions Postponed	11
11.	Maximum No. of Questions addressed to any one Minister **(PWD (B&R) Minister on 21-12-2012)**	3
12.	Maximum No. of Questions orally answered by any one Minister**(PWD (B&R) Minister on 21-12-2012)**	3

19 QUESTIONS STATEMENT

Type of Questions	No of Notices received	No of Notices admitted	No of Notices disallowed /referred back	No of Notices clubbed with other Notices on the same subject	No. of Postponed Questions	No. of Questions Not put	No. of Questions answered	No. of Starred Questions converted into Un-starred Questions on proro-gation of the Session.	No. of Questions deemed to have been answered Under Rule 38	No. of Notices withdrawn	No. of Supplem -entaries asked	No. of Notices lapsed on Prorogation
Starred Questions	198	185	8	5	11	25	34	88	10	2	53	13
Unstarred Questions	2	7*	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-
Short . Notice Questions	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

(FIVE NOTICES OF STARRED QUESTIONS WERE ADMITTED AS UNSTARRED QUESTIONS BY THE HON'BLE SPEAKER)

20. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS ANSWERED DATE-WISE AND PARTY-WISE

DATE	S.A.D.	B.J.P.	I.N.C.	INDP.	TOTAL
18-12-2012	05	-	05	-	10
19-12-2012	05	-	06	02	13
20-12-2012	03	-	--	-	03
21-12-2012	08	-	--	-	08
Total					**34**

21. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS DEEMED TO HAVE BEEN ANSWERED UNDER RULE 38, DATE-WISE AND PARTY-WISE

DATE	S.A.D.	B.J.P.	I.N.C.	INDP.	TOTAL
18-12-2012	06	-	-	-	06
19-12-2012	01	-	03	-	04
20-12-2012	-	-	-	-	-
21-12-2012	-	-	-	-	-
Total					**10**

22. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS NOT-PUT DATE-WISE AND PARTY-WISE

DATE	S.A.D.	B.J.P.	I.N.C.	INDP.	TOTAL
18-12-2012	1	-	-	-	1
19-12-2012	-	-	-	-	-
20-12-2012	-	-	14	-	14
21-12-2012	-	-	9	1	10
Total					**25**

23. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS LISTED IN THE NAMES OF DIFFERENT MINISTERS, DATE-WISE

DATE	Chief Minister	Deputy Chief Minister	Local Government Minister	Welfare Minister	Food and Supplies Minister	Transport Minister	Health and Family Welfare Minister	Social Security Minister	Finance Minister	Irrigation Minister
18-12-2012	2	2	2	2	-	2	2	-	1	-
19-12-2012	1	-	2	1	2	1	2	-	-	1
20-12-2012	-	-	1	1	-	2	2	-	2	2
21-12-2012	-	-	2	1	-	1	2	1	1	2

DATE	Animal Husbandry Minister	Labour and Employment Minister	Rural Development & Panchayats Minister	Education Minister	PWD (B&R) Minister	Forests Minister	Revenue Minister	Industries Minister	Technical Education Minister	TOTAL
18-12-2012	-	-	1	2	3	1	-	-	-	20
19-12-2012	-	1	1	3	1	-	2	1	1	20
20-12-2012	2	-	2	3	2	-	-	1	-	20
21-12-2012	1	1	2	3	2	-	-	1	-	20

24. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS POSTPONED, DATE-WISE AND MINISTER-WISE

DATE	Chief Minister	Rural Dev. & Panchayats Minister	Food and Supplies Minister	Education Minister	Revenue Minister	Welfare Minister	Social Security Minister	TOTAL
18-12-2012	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	3
19-12-2012	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	3
20-12-2012	-	2	-	-	-	1	-	3
21-12-2012	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	2
Total								**11**

25. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS POSTPONED DATE-WISE AND PARTY-WISE

DATE	S.A.D.	B.J.P.	I.N.C.	INDP.	TOTAL
18-12-2012	-	-	3	-	3
19-12-2012	1	-	2	-	3
20-12-2012	1	-	1	1	3
21-12-2012	-	-	2	-	2
Total					**11**

26. WALK OUT

Sr. No.	DATE	Member(s) Walking out	Occasion
1.	19.12.2012	All the Members of the Indian National Congress Party, present in the House, alongwith Shri Rajnish Kumar, Independent Member.	As a protest against suspension of Rana Gurjit Singh, MLA (INC) from the services of the House for the remaining Session of the House.

27. PERSONAL EXPLANATION

The following Personal Explanation was made during the Session:-

Sr. No.	Date	Name of the Minister	Occasion
1.	21.12.2012	Chief Minister	Regarding the allegation levelled by the Leader of Opposition against the Hon'ble Chief Minister that a scam of Rs. 40 crores has taken place in his constituency with regard to the funds released for the construction of houses meant for the poor.

APPENDIX-1

28. BULLETINS PERTAINING TO THE THIRD SESSION, 2012

BULLETIN NO. 1

Monday, the 17th December, 2012
(From 2.00 P.M. to 2.21 P.M.)

1. OBITUARY REFERENCES:
The Hon'ble Speaker made references to the deaths of the following:-

1. Shri Inder Kumar Gujral, Ex-Prime Minister of India;
2. Chief Justice (Retd.) S.S. Kang, Ex-Governor of Kerala;
3. Shri Dara Singh, Rustam-e-Hind and Ex-MP;
4. Shri Rajesh Khanna, Famous Actor and Ex-MP;
5. Jathedar Zora Singh Bhagike, Ex-MLA;
6. Sardar Malkiat Singh Keetu, Ex MLA;
7. Respectable Jagjit Singh Ji Maharaj, Head of Namdhari Sect;
8. Shri Bal Thackeray, Shiv Sena Supremo;
9. Sardar Mann Singh Manhera, Eminent Politician;
10. Jathedar Jagmail Singh Thuhi, Freedom Fighter;
11. Sardar Sadhu Singh, Freedom Fighter;
12. Sardar Gurcharn Singh, Freedom Fighter;
13. Sardar Pritam Singh, Freedom Fighter;
14. Sardar Naginder Singh, Freedom Fighter;
15. Shri Prabha Ram, Freedom Fighter;
16. Sardar Kartar Singh, Freedom Fighter;
17. Sardar Mukhtiar Singh, Freedom Fighter;
18. Sardar Mohinder Singh, Freedom Fighter;
19. Sardar Dawinder Singh, Freedom Fighter;
20. Sardar Fauja Singh, Freedom Fighter;
21. Sardar Jaspal Bhatti, Famous Cartoonist and Comedian;
22. Shri A.K. Hangal, Renowned Artist;
23. Shri Yash Chopra, Famous Director, Producer and Film Maker;
24. Shri Hakam Sufi, Renowned Sufi Punjabi Singer;
25. Shri Avtar Jandialvi, Famous Punjabi Writer;
26. Shayar Sarod Sudip, Famous Punjabi Shayar;

27. Shri Ajaib Chittarkar, Eminent Shayar and Poet;
28. Sardar Satwant Singh Kaleka, Eminent Trader of U.S.A.;
29. Jathedar Dilbag Singh, Ex-Member of S.G.P.C.;
30. Bibi Harbans Kaur Sukhana, Member of S.G.P.C.;
31. Pandit Ravi Shankar, Legendary Sitar Maestro; and
32. Shri Sarvan Kumar Verma, Famous Urdu Literator.

The Hon'ble Speaker paid rich tributes to the above mentioned great personalities and besides the said great personalities, the Hon'ble Speaker also included the name of Shri Ram Murthi, Freedom Fighter, on being proposed by Shri Brahm Mohindra, M.L.A. and also of Smt. Amrita Chaudhary, Senior Journalist on being asked by Sardar Bikram Singh Majithia, Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister, in today's list of condolence Resolution.

The Hon'ble Speaker informed the House that condolence messages would be sent to the bereaved families.

The House stood in silence for two minutes as a mark of respect to the departed souls.

Thereafter, the House, then adjourned without transacting any other Business till 10.00 A.M. on Tuesday, the 18th December, 2012.

BULLETIN NO. 2
Tuesday, the 18th December, 2012
(From 10.00 A.M. to 1.05 P.M.)

1. Questions:

Starred

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	10	1	3	6	21

2. Announcement by the Hon'ble Speaker

The Hon'ble Speaker made an announcement under Rule 13(1) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) regarding nomination of the following Members to serve on the Panel of Chairmen;-

1. Sardar Gurtej Singh Ghuriana;
2. Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan;
3. Sardar Laal Singh; and
4. Shri Manoranjan Kalia.

3. Announcement by the Secretary

The Secretary laid on the Table of the House a statement showing the Bills which were passed by the 10th Vidhan Sabha during its 9th Session, 13th Vidhan Sabha during its 13th Session and 14th Vidhan Sabha during its 2nd Session, which had since been assented to by the Governor.

4. First Report of the Business Advisory Committee

The Hon'ble Speaker presented to the House the First Report of the Business Advisory Committee regarding the Business to be transacted by the Punjab Vidhan Sabha in its Sittings from 18th December, 2012 to 21st December, 2012.

The following motion moved by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister was put to the vote of the House and carried:-

"That this House agrees with the recommendations contained in the First Report of the Business Advisory Committee".

5. **Calling Attention Notice**

The Calling Attention Notice No. 3 was not put.

6. **Papers Laid on the Table**

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister laid on the Table of the House papers as mentioned at Sr. No. 1 to 3 as shown under Item No. VI in today's List of Business.

7. **Legislative Business**

1) **The Punjab Village Common Lands (Regulation) Amendment Bill, 2012**

The Rural Development and Panchayats Minister introduced the Punjab Village Common Lands (Regulation) Amendment Bill, 2012, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause1, Clauses 2 and 3, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Rural Development and Panchayats Minister, "That the Punjab Village Common Lands (Regulation) Amendment Bill, 2012, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

2) **The Punjab Town Improvement (Amendment) Bill, 2012**

The Local Government Minister introduced the Punjab Town Improvement (Amendment) Bill, 2012, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 5, as there was no amendment therein, collectively. Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Local Government Minister, "That the Punjab Town Improvement (Amendment) Bill, 2012, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

3) **The Punjab Municipal (Second Amendment) Bill, 2012**

The Local Government Minister introduced the Punjab Municipal (Second Amendment) Bill, 2012, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 15, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Local Government Minister, "That the Punjab Municipal (Second Amendment) Bill, 2012, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

4) **The Punjab Municipal Corporation (Second Amendment) Bill, 2012**

The Local Government Minister introduced the Punjab Municipal Corporation (Second Amendment) Bill, 2012, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 15, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried

The motion moved by the Local Government Minister, " That the Punjab Municipal Corporation (Second Amendment) Bill, 2012, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

5) **The Punjab (Institutions and Other Buildings) Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2012**

The Deputy Chief Minister introduced the Punjab (Institutions and other Buildings) Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2012, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 and 3, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Deputy Chief Minister, "That the Punjab (Institutions and Other Buildings) Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2012, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

8. Adjournment of the House for a short while

On being not allowed to speak before explanation to be given by the Chief Minister, all the Members of the Indian National Congress Party, present in the House, and Shri Rajnish Kumar, Independent Member, came into the well of the House while raising anti- Government slogans.

Due to pandemonium in the House, the Hon'ble Speaker adjourned the House from 11.42 A.M. to 12.00 noon and again from 12.08 P.M. to 1.00 P.M.

The House re-assembled at 1.00 P.M. As the opposition again stressed upon their first issue, the Business of the House could not be transacted due to pandemonium in the House.

Thereafter, the House, then adjourned till 10.00AM on Wednesday, the 19th December, 2012.

BULLETIN NO. 3
Wednesday, the 19th December, 2012
(From 10.00 A.M. to 2.40 P.M.)

1. Questions:

Starred

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	13	-	2	5	16

2. Calling Attention Notice

Sardar Mahesh Inder Singh, MLA drew the attention of the Government towards uranium contents in underground water of Bagha Purana city.

The Health and Family Welfare Minister made a statement. (No. 4)

3. Papers to be laid on the Table

5The Parliamentary Affairs Minister laid on the Table of the House, papers as mentioned at Sr. Nos. 1 to 12 shown under Item No. IV in today's List of Business.

4. Law and order situation in the State

The Resolution moved by the Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister, "That law and order situation in the State of Punjab be discussed."

The following Members took part in the discussion on the Resolution and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names:-

1. Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition. 58 minutes
2. Sardar Bikram Singh Majithia, Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister 70 minutes

With the consent of the House, it was decided that Sardar Bikram Singh Majithia, will continue the discussion on law and order situation in the State on 20.12.2012

5. Short Adjournment of the House

The Hon'ble Speaker adjourned the House from 1.23 P.M. to 1.53 P.M. due to pandemonium and indiscipline created by the Members of Indian National Congress and Shri Rajnish Kumar, Independent Member, present in the House, by leaving their seats and trooping into the well of the House raising anti-government slogans against Sardar Bikram Singh Majithia, Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister and the Government, while raising objection against the speech of the concerned Minister and due to moving of Rana Gurjit Singh, Member, Indian National Congress towards the seat of Sardar Bikram Singh Majithia, Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister while using derogatory language against him. The House re-assembled at 1.53 P.M.

6. Motion regarding suspension of a Member

The Parliamentery Affairs Minister moved the following Motion in the House and was carried:-

i) "that Rule 97 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) be suspended"

ii) "that Rana Gurjit Singh, MLA has today i.e. 19.12.2012 breached the decorum of the House by leaving his seat and using derogatory language against Sardar Bikram Singh Majithia, Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister, while he was participating in the discussion on the issue of law and order situation in the State, therefore, he should either apologise to the House for his misconduct or be suspended from the services of the House for the remaining Session of the House."

Since the Member did not apologize to the House for his misconduct, he was suspended from the service of the House for the remaining Session of the House.

7. Walk-out

All the Members of the Indian National Congress Party, present in the House, alongwith Shri Rajnish Kumar, Independent Member, staged a walk-out as a protest against supension of Rana Gurjit Singh, Hon'ble Member, from the service of the House, for the remaining Session of the House.

8. OFFICIAL RESOLUTION

The Chief Minister moved the following Resolution which was put to the vote of the House and carried:-

"Whereas due to increase in the costs of the basic agricultural inputs and the Minimum Support Price (MSP) being unremunerative, the traditional cultivation of wheat-paddy is no more profitable. That is why the farmers of the State at the moment are reeling under severe financial crisis. At present the farmers of the State are under a debt of Rs. 35,000 crores. Planting of paddy has also resulted in the steep declining of water table in the State. So, now it is the need of the hour that instead of rotational cultivation of wheat and paddy, cultivation of various other crops should be encouraged so as to provide relief to the farmers in this hour of crisis as they always stood by the country in the face of difficult times. The Central Government is also stating that the other States are also increasing the yield of paddy and Punjab has to look out for some other alternative crops.

Whenever the State farmers have been confronted with difficulties the Central Government has always back-stepped from its duties. During the Kharif 2012, there was 65-70% scanty rainfall from July to August months and the farmers of the State were facing severe drought like conditions. Group of Ministers headed by Union Minister of Agriculture, Shri Sharad Pawar and Union Minister for Rural Development and Panchayats, Shri Jai Ram Ramesh, on behalf of the Central Government visited Chandigarh and took stock of the situation in Punjab and while accepting this situation they assured granting of relief package during a Press Conference. In spite of that, no relief has been provided so far to the farmers in the State.

Comprehensive diversification mission is the need of the hour to tide over the crisis of farming. Therefore, this House desires that the following special programmes should be initiated by the Central Government in order to implement the crop diversification in Punjab also in an effective way on the pattern of similar programme started to encourage farming in the eastern States of the country:-

1. Remunerative support prices for alternative crops as maize, cotton, sugarcane, oilseeds and pulses and arrangement of

assured procurement of such crops like wheat and paddy and Minimum Support Price (MSP) be made.

2. Research Centres for pulses and soyabean must be established by Indian Agriculture Research Council in the State in order to increase the yield of these crops.

3. Live Stock Sector can also play an important role in the crop diversification. Hence, in order to encourage this sector similar facilities like concessional interest rates and income tax rebate commensurating with agricultrue should be extended.

4. A Central Research Centre be established in order to develop fisheries in the State.

5. The same concessions be given to the agricultural sector in the State as given to neighbouring hilly States of Punjab.

6. "The Diversification Mission" grant of Rs. 5,000 crore be given to Green Revolution States including Punjab on the analogy of BGREI (Bring Green Revolution to Eastern India) under 12th Five Year Plan.

7. During Kharif, 2012, in order to provide drought relief in the State, relief package, as given assurance to the farmers of the State and to the State Government, may be released immediately, which especially includes:-

   i) Relief of Rs. 3000 per hectare in lieu of extra expenditure incurred by the farmers in order to save their paddy crops.

   ii) Expenditure of Rs. 1530 crore be immediately reimbursed by the Central Government which was incurred by the Government of Punjab to purchase power from outside in order to supply surplus power to the farmers to cultivate their crops.

9. EXTENSION OF TIME

With the consent of the House, the time of today's Sitting of the House was extended till the completion of its remaining Business.

The House, then adjourned till 10.00 AM on Thursday, the 20th December, 2012.

BULLETIN NO. 4
Thursday, the 20th December, 2012
(From 10.00 A.M. to 3.10 P.M.)

1. Obituary Reference

The Hon'ble Speaker mentioned about the sad demise of Raja Narinder Singh, Ex-Minister. Punjab and paid rich tributes to him and while doing so he spoke for 2 minutes. He informed the House that condolence message would be sent to the bereaved family of the departed soul.

The House stood in silence for two minutes as a mark of respect to the departed soul.

2. Questions

Starred

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	3	15	2	-	3

3. Calling Attention Notice

The Calling Attention Notice No. 6 was not put.

4. Papers to be laid on the Table

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister laid on the Table of the House the papers as mentioned at Serial Nos. 1 to 8 shown under Item No. IV of today's List of Business.

5. Adjournment of the House for a short while

The House was adjourned for half an hour to establish contact with the Opposition Party for initiating action to revoke the motion moved by the House on 19-12-2012 regarding expulsion of Rana Gurjit Singh, Member, Indian National Congress, and for extending co-operation so as to ensure the smooth functioning of the House.

6. Substantive Motion

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister moved the following Motion in the House which was carried by the House:-

"This House strongly condemns the indecent behaviour of the Members of the Opposition shown towards Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs, as he tried to make contact with the Leader of the Opposition, to apprise him about the feelings of the House regarding revoking of Motion moved a day before and to urge them to participate in the proceedings of the House, to maintain the values of the democracy and to extend co-operation for the smooth functioning of the House as per the decision taken by the House."

7. Further discussion on the law and order situation in the State

The Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister moved the Resolution "that further discussion be held on the law and order situation in the State."

The following Members took part in the discussion on the Resolution and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names:-

1.	Sardar Bikram Singh Majithia, Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister	17 minutes
2.	Sardar Virsa Singh Valtoha, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	43 minutes
3.	Shri K.D. Bhandari, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	4 minutes
4.	Sardar Inderbir Singh Bolaria, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	9 minutes
5.	Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party	10 minutes

The Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister, by way of reply, spoke for 1 hour 13 minutes.

8. Resolutions

1) Sardar Harpreet Singh, MLA, moved the following Resolution in the House which was carried by the House:-

"This House recommends to the State Government to raise the matter with the Central Government to take concrete steps to ensure the economic development of the country by making concerted efforts which will result in promotion of mutual friendship, peace and amity between Indo-Pak. it should further stress upon the need to allow uninterrupted pilgrimage to the religious places and to enhance bilateral trade as well as to and fro transportation through road route from Attari in Punjab and on other international borders."

While moving the Resolution, he spoke for 13 minutes.

The following Members took part in the discussion on the Resolution and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names:-

1.	Shri Anil Joshi, Industries and Commerce Minister	12 minutes
2.	Bibi Jagir Kaur, Shiromani Akali Dal,	10 minutes
3.	Jathedar Tota Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal,	4 minutes
4.	Sardar Gulzar Singh Ranike, Shiromani Akali Dal,	9 minutes
5.	Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Health and Family Welfare Minister	1 minute

2) Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, MLA, moved the following Resolution in the House:-

"This House recommends to the State Government to take up the matter with the Central Government to formulate Central Schemes for carrying out development of Backward Classes of the State keeping in view the financial, geographical and the environmental conditions of various States."

9. Extension of Time

With the consent of the House, the time of today's Sitting was extended earlier from 2.30 p.m. to 3.00 p.m. and later on from 3.00 p.m. to 3.10 p.m.

The Hon'ble Deputy Speaker occupied the Chair from 11.50 A.M. to 1.00 P.M. The House, then adjourned till 10.00 A.M. on Friday, the 21st December. 2012

REVISED BULLETIN NO. 5
Friday, the 21st December, 2012
(From 10.00 A.M. to 2.38 P.M.)

1. Questions

(a) Postponed Starred Questions

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
3	-	3	-	-	-

(b) Starred Questions

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	8	10	2	-	13

(c) Unstarred Questions : 7

2. Calling Attention Notice

The Calling Attention Notice No. 5 was not put.

3. Adjournment of the House for a short while

The House was adjourned firstly from 10.34 A.M. to 11.00 A.M., then 11.00 A.M. to 11.30 A.M. and then from 11.30 A.M. to 12.00 noon so as to develop rapport with the Opposition party on an invitation extended by the Hon'ble Chief Minister.

4. Personal Explanation by the Hon'ble Chief Minister

In respect to the allegation levelled by the Leader of the Opposition against the Hon'ble Chief Minister that a scam of Rs. 40 crore has taken place in his constituency with regard to the funds released for the construction of the Houses meant for the poor, a personal explanation for the same was given by the Hon'ble Chief Minister.

5. Papers to be laid on the Table

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister laid on the Table of the House, papers as mentioned at Sr. No. 3 shown under Item No. I and II in today's List of Business.

6. Motion under Rule 16

The following motion moved by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister was put to the vote of the House and carried:-

"That the Vidhan Sabha (Assembly) at its rising this day shall stand adjourned sine-die"

7. Report of the General Purposes Committee

The Report of the General Purposes Committee for the year 2012-13 was presented by the Hon'ble Speaker.

8. Legislative Business

1) The Punjab Compulsory Registration of Marriages Bill, 2008

The motion moved by the Transport Minister, "That the Punjab Compulsory Registration of Marriages Bill, 2008, which was moved and passed on 12 th March, 2008 during the 4th Session, 2008 of the 13th Punjab Vidhan Sabha and the sanction for which is since lying pending may be allowed to be withdrawn" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

2) The Punjab Prevention of Human Smuggling Bill, 2010.

The motion moved by the Deputy Chief Minister, "That the Punjab Prevention of Human Smuggling Bill, 2010 which was moved and passed on October 1, 2010 during the 10th Session, 2010 of the 13th Punjab Vidhan Sabha and the sanction for which is since lying pending may be allowed to be withdrawn" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

3) The Punjab Safety Measures for Prevention and Control of Fire Bill, 2012. (Replacing Ordinance)

The Local Government and Medical Education Minister introduced the Punjab Safety Measures for Prevention and Control of Fire Bill , 2012 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, Shri Som Parkash, Chief Parliamentary Secretary, Local Government, spoke for 2 minutes.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clauses (2) and (3) of Clause 1. Clauses 2 to 16, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Local Government and Medical Education Minister "That the Punjab Safety Measures for Prevention and Control of Fire Bill, 2012, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

4) The Punjab Value Added Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2012(Replacing Ordinance)

The Deputy Chief Minister introduced the Punjab Value Added Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2012 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 and 3, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Deputy Chief Minister, "That the Punjab Value Added Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2012 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

5) The Punjab State Board of Technical Education and Industrial Training (Amendment) Bill, 2012(Replacing Ordinance)

The Technical Education Minister introduced the Punjab State Board of Technical Education and Industrial Training (Amendment) Bill, 2012 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 and 3, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Technical Education Minister, "That the Punjab State Board of Technical Education and Industrial Training (Amendment) Bill, 2012 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

6) The DAV University Bill, 2012

The Higher Education Minister introduced the DAV University Bill, 2012 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, the following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names;-

1.	Shri Som Parkash, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	9 minutes
2.	Doctor Daljit Singh, Cheema, Shiromani Akali Dal	6 minutes
3.	Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party	6 minutes
4.	Justice Nirmal Singh,Shiromani Akali Dal	4 minutes
5.	Sardar Mahesh Inder Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	7 minutes
6.	Shri Anil Joshi, Technical Education Minister	4 minutes

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 5, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Clause 6 as amended , Clauses 7 to 45, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Higher Education Minister, "That the DAV University Bill, 2012 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

7) The Desh Bhagat University Bill, 2012 (Replacing Ordinance)

The Higher Education Minister introduced the Desh Bhagat University Bill, 2012 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, the following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names:-

1.	Shri Pawan Kumar Tinu, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	8 minutes
2.	Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party	30 seconds
3.	JathedarTota Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	30 seconds

The Higher Education Minister, by way of reply, spoke for 2 minutes.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clause 2, Clause 3, as amended, Clauses 4 & 5, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Clause 6 as amended, Clauses 7 to 45, as there was no amendment therein, collectively Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Higher Education Minister, "That the Desh Bhagat University Bill, 2012 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

8) The Punjab Privately Managed Affiliated and Punjab Government Aided Colleges, Pensionary Benefits Scheme 1996 (Repeal) Bill, 2012

The Higher Education Minister introduced the Punjab Privately Managed Affiliated and Punjab Government Aided Colleges, Pensionary Benefits Scheme, 1996 (Repeal) Bill, 2012 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clause 2, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Higher Education Minister, "That the Punjab Privately Managed Affiliated and Punjab Government Aided Colleges, Pensionary Benefits Scheme, 1996 (Repeal) Bill, 2012 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

9) The Punjab Motor Vehicles Taxation (Amendment) Bill, 2012 (Replacing Ordinance)

The Transport Minister moved the Punjab Motor Vehicles Taxation (Amendment) Bill, 2012 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, the following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names:-

1.	Sardar Sohan Singh Thandal, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	1 minute
2.	Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, Shiromani Akali Dal	1 minute
3.	Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party	2 minutes

The motion moved by the Chief Minister, "That the Punjab Motor Vehicles Taxation (Amendment) Bill, 2012 may be allowed to be withdrawn" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

10) The Punjab Agricultural Produce Markets (Amendment) Bill, 2012 (Replacing Ordinance)

The Chief Minister introduced the Punjab Agricultural Produce Markets (Amendment) Bill, 2012 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 and 3, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Chief Minister, "That the Punjab Agricultural Produce Markets (Amendment) Bill, 2012 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

11) The Punjab Prevention of Human Smuggling Bill, 2012

The Deputy Chief Minister introduced the Punjab Prevention of Human Smuggling Bill, 2012 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 22, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The Deputy Chief Minister spoke for 2 minutes before moving the motion to pass the Bill.

The motion moved by the Deputy Chief Minister that "the Punjab Prevention of Human Smuggling Bill, 2012 be passed" was put to the Vote of the House and carried.

12) The Punjab Land Revenue (Amendment) Bill, 2012

The Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister introduced the Punjab Land Revenue (Amendment) Bill, 2012 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clause 2, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister, that "the Punjab Land Revenue (Amendment) Bill, 2012 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

13) The Punjab Courts (Amendment) Bill, 2012

The Chief Minister introduced the Punjab Courts (Amendment) Bill, 2012, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 and 3, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Chief Minister, that "the Punjab Courts (Amendment) Bill, 2012 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

14) The Punjab State Commission for Minorities Bill, 2012 (Replacing Ordinance)

The Deputy Chief Minister introduced the Punjab State Commission for Minorities Bill, 2012, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 29, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Deputy Chief Minister, that "the Punjab State Commission for Minorities Bill, 2012 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

15) The Punjab Compulsory Registration of Marriages Bill, 2012

The Transport Minister introduced the Punjab Compulsory Registration of Marriages Bill, 2012, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1. Clauses 2 to 19. as there was no amendment therein. collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Transport Minister, "that the Punjab Compulsory Registration of Marriages Bill. 2012 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

16) The Punjab Scheduled Castes Land Development and Finance Corporation (Amendment and Validation) Bill, 2012

The Welfare Minister introduced the Punjab Scheduled Castes Land Development and Finance Corporation (Amendment and Validation) Bill, 2012, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 6, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Welfare Minister, "that the Punjab Scheduled Castes Land Development and Finance Corporation (Amendment and Validation) Bill, 2012 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

17) The Punjab Backward Classes Land Development and Finance Corporation (Amendment and Validation) Bill, 2012

The Welfare Minister introduced the Punjab Backward Classes Land Development and Finance Corporation (Amendment and Validation) Bill, 2012 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 7, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Welfare Minister that "the Punjab Backward Classes Land Development and Finance Corporation (Amendment and Validation) Bill, 2012 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

18) The Northern India Canal and Drainage (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2012 (Replacing Ordinance)

The Finance Minister introduced the Northern India Canal and Drainage (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2012 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, Sardar Gurpartap Singh Wadala, SAD spoke for three minutes.

During the Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 4, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Finance Minister "that the Northern India Canal and Drainage (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2012 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

19) The Indian Stamp (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2012

The Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister introduced the Indian Stamp (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2012 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 4, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause 1 of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister "that the Indian Stamp (Punjab Amemdment) Bill, 2012, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

9. Motion regarding nomination of two Members on the Panjab University Senate

A motion moved by Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs, "That the Hon'ble Speaker be authorized to nominate two Members on the Senate of Panjab University, Chandigarh", was put to the vote of the House and carried.

10. Extension of Time

With the consent of the House, the time of today's Sitting was exended till the completion of its remaining Business.

The House, then adjourned sine-die.

APPENDIX II

29. NOMINATED COMMITTEE
BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

(Nominated on 7th December, 2012 under Rule 208(1))

1. Doctor Charnjit Singh Atwal, Speaker — Ex-officio Chairman
2. Sardar Sukhbir Singh Badal, Deputy Chief Minister — Member
3. Shri Chuni Lai Bhagat, Minister for Local Government — Member
4. Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs — Member
5. Sardar Parminder Singh Dhindsa, Minister for Finance — Member
6. Shri Sunil Jakhar, MLA & Leader of the Opposition. — Member

SPECIAL INVITEES

1. Smt. Rajinder Kaur Bhattal, MLA
2. Shri Manoranjan Kalia, MLA.

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AND

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PUNJAB VIDHAN SABHA SECRETARIAT,
CHANDIGARH

13TH AUGUST, 2013

PREFACE

The following pages contain Resume of Business transacted by the Fourteenth Vidhan Sabha during its Fourth Session, 2013 held from 11th March, 2013 to 25th March, 2013 together with the Bulletins issued daily after the adjournment of each Sittting of the Sabha.

2. It is hoped that the Publication would be found useful by the Members and others who may wish to know in detail what work was done each day by the Vidhan Sabha in the above mentioned Session.

3. Any suggestion for further improvement of this publication in future would be very gratefully welcomed.

CHANDIGARH :
The 13th August, 2013

VED PARKASH
Secretary

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The Fourteenth Punjab Vidhan Sabha was summoned by an Order of the Governor, dated the 22nd February, 2013, to meet for its Fourth Session in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha Hall, Vidhan Bhavan, Chandigarh, at 2.00 P.M. on the 11th March, 2013 and it continued to meet till the 25th March, 2013 when it adjourned *sine-die*. It was later prorogued by an Order of the Governor dated the 16th April, 2013.

During the Session, the Sabha held Ten Sittings.

2. PROGRAMME OBSERVED

Date	Programme observed
Monday, the 11th March, 2013 (2.00 P.M.)	Governor's Address to the Members of the Punjab Vidhan Sabha.
Tuesday, the 12th March, 2013 (10.00 A.M. to 10.14 A.M.)	Obituary references to the deaths of— 1. Shri Satpal Saini, Ex-Minister of State, Punjab; 2. Smt. Pritpal Kaur Wasu, Ex-MLC; 3. Shri Chhajju Ram Gupta, EX-MLA; 4. Sardar Gurdev Singh Grewal, EX-MLA; 5. Sardar Prem Singh, Eminent Politician; 6. Sardar Karam Singh, Eminent Politician; 7. Giani Mohinder Singh, Ex-Member, SGPC; 8. Jathedar Inderpal Singh Khalsa, Ex-Member, SGPC; 9. Shri Harbans Lal, Freedom Fighter; 10. Sardar Darshan Singh, Freedom Fighter; 11. Shri Ram Murti Vadera, Freedom Fighter; 12. Sardar Tara Singh, Freedom Fighter;

Date	Programme observed
	13. Sardar Mukhtiar Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	14. Shri Ruldu Ram, Freedom fighter;
	15. Shri Ved Parkash Mehra, Freedom Fighter;
	16. Sardar Kundan Singh Sahota, Freedom Fighter;
	17. Sardar Harbhajan Singh Rattan, Famous Punjabi Laureate;
	18. Sardar Maninder Singh Kang, Famous Critic Writer;
	19. Sardar Karnail Singh Nijhar, Famous Punjabi Novelist & Story Writer;
	20. Shri Hira Lal Sibal, Eminent Lawyer;
	21. Miss Damini, Victim of Inhumane Rape; and
	22. Death of children in road accident in Nakodar Assembly Constituency.
Wednesday, the 13th March, 2013 (10.00 A.M. to 2.41 P.M)	1. Announcements made by the Speaker/ Secretary regarding Panel of Chairmen and Governor's Address/Bills.
	2. Ruling given by Hon'ble Speaker regarding violation of Rule 93 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) and the publication/telecast of proceedings of the House.
	3. Presentation and adoption of the First Report of the Business Advisory Committee.
	4. Discussion on the Motion of Thanks on the Governor's Address.

(Continued)

Date	Programme observed
Thursday, the 14th March, 2013 (10.00 A.M. to 2.45 P.M.)	1. Ruling given by the Hon'ble Speaker regarding expulsion of nine members of the Opposition Party from the House for one day.
	2. Censure motion regarding conduct of the Leader of Opposition, who brought two persons in the House arrogantly and created a scene while misusing his rights and breached the decorum of the House. (Talked out)
	3. Non-Official Resolutions—
	(i) "This House recommends to the State Government to launch a social movement to awaken the masses with an aim to check the reckless and worthless spending on marriages and other such functions being solemnized in the State." (Carried unanimously)
	(ii) "This House recommends to the State Government to take up the matter with the Central Government to formulate Central Schemes for carrying out development of Backward Classes of the States keeping in view the financial, geographical and the environmental conditions of the various States." (Carried unanimously)
	4. Motion regarding suspension of nine members of the Opposition Party from the services of the House for the remaining period of the Session. (Carried)

Date	Programme observed
Friday, the 15th March, 2013 (10.00 A.M. to 2.30 P.M.)	1. Motion regarding Breach of Privilege against Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of Opposition for misuse of his rights, Breach of Privilege of the House and breach of security of the House. (Referred to Committee of Privileges)
	2. Announcement made by the Hon'ble Speaker regarding registration of F.I.R. against Members who had thrashed the security guard.
	3. Resumption of Discussion on the Motion of Thanks on the Governor's Address. (Continued)
Saturday, the 16th March, 2013 Sunday, the 17th March, 2013	Holidays
Monday, the 18th March,2013 (2.00 P.M. to 6.27 P.M.)	1. Ruling given by the Hon'ble Speaker regarding fundamental responsibility of the Speaker to run the House smoothly as well as to maintain order as per Rule 97(1) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) and the entire Punjab Vidhan Bhawan be treated as the precincts of Punjab Vidhan Sabha.
	2. Resumption of Discussion on the Motion of Thanks on the Governor's Address and Vote on the Motion of Thanks. (Concluded)

Date	Programme observed
Tuesday, the 19th March, 2013 (10.00 A.M. to 1.13 P.M.)	Financial Business (i) Presentation of the Supplementary Demands for Grants for Expenditure of the Government of Punjab for the year 2012-13. (ii) Presentation of Report of the Committee on Estimates on the Supplementary Demands for Grants for Expenditure of the Government of Punjab for the year 2012-13. (iii) Discussion and Voting on the Supplementary Demands for Grants for Expenditure of the Government of Punjab for the year 2012-13. (iv) The Punjab Appropriation Bill, 2013. (v) Ruling given by the Hon'ble Speaker urging all the members to abide by the Rules and traditions of the House and to extend cooperation in conducting the proceedings of the House smoothly. (Passed)
Wednesday, the 20th March, 2013 (10.00 A.M. to 12.04 P.M.)	Presentation of the Budget Estimates for the year 2013-14.
Thursday, the 21st March, 2013 (10.00 A.M. to 1.23 P.M.)	1. Presentation and adoption of the Second Report of the Business Advisory Committee. 2. Non-Official Resolution— (i) "This House recommends to the State Government to immediately amend the concerned law to grant legal rights to the people for their houses/dwelling units or for some other type of properties, residing within the 'Lal Dora' in the villages." (Carried)

Date	Programme observed
Friday, the 22nd March, 2013 (10.00 A.M. to 2.30 P.M.)	General Discussion on the Budget Estimates for the year 2013-14.
Saturday, the 23rd March, 2013 Sunday, the 24th March, 2013	Holidays
Monday, the 25th March,2013 (2.00 P.M. to 5.36 P.M.)	1. Motion under Rule 16 regarding adjournment of the House *sine-die*. (Carried)
	2. Resumption of General Discussion on the Budget Estimates for the year 2013-14. (Concluded)
	3. Financial Business
	(i) Discussion and Voting on the Demands for Grants relating to the Budget Estimates for the year 2013-14.
	(ii) The Punjab Appropriation (No. 2) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	4. Motion regarding constitution of Elected Committees of the Punjab Vidhan Sabha for the year 2013-14. (Carried unanimously)
	5. Legislative Business
	(i) The Punjab Motor Vehicles Taxation (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	(ii) The Punjab State Cancer and Drug Addiction Treatment Infrastructure Fund Bill, 2013. (Passed as amended)

Date	Programme observed
	(iii) The Punjab Municipal Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	(iv) The Punjab Community Participation in Municipalities Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	(v) The Punjab Rent (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	(vi) The Punjab State Election Commission (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	(vii) The Punjab Excise (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	(viiii) The Punjab Value Added Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	(ix) The Punjab Ancient, Historical Monuments, Archaeological Sites and Cultural Heritage Maintenance Board Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	(x) The Punjab Contract Farming Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	(xi) The Punjab Co-operative Societies (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	(xii) The Prisons (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	(xiii) The Punjab Educational Institutions (Prohibition of Ragging) Bill, 2013. (Passed)

Date	Programme observed
	(xiv) The Punjab Laws (Special Provisions) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	(xv) The Punjab Lokpal (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	(xvi) The Punjab Lokpal (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)

3. PANEL OF CHAIRMEN

On the 27th February, 2013, the Speaker nominated the following Members to serve on the Panel of Chairmen under Rule 13(1) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) and announcement was made by the Hon'ble Speaker in the House on the 13th March, 2013 :—

1. Sardar Gurtej Singh Ghuriana;
2. Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan;
3. Sardar Laal Singh; and
4. Shri Manoranjan Kalia.

4. GOVERNOR'S ADDRESS

The Governor addressed the Punjab Vidhan Sabha on 11th March, 2013.

The Speaker laid a copy of the Governor's Address on the Table of the House on the 13th March, 2013.

The Motion of Thanks on the Governor's Address was moved by Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema, MLA on the 13th March, 2013, which was seconded by Shri Manoranjan Kalia, MLA on the same day.

The Motion was discussed on the :—

13th March, 2013	For 38 minutes (Treasury Benches [SAD] - 38 minutes).
15th March, 2013	For 189 minutes (Treasury Benches - 189 minutes [SAD-118, BJP-71]).
18th March, 2013	For 195 minutes (Treasury Benches - 195 minutes [SAD-155, BJP-40])

11 Members (7 from SAD and 4 from BJP) from the Treasury Benches (including the mover/seconder of the Motion and the Chief Minister) took part in the discussion and spoke for 422 minutes.

The Motion was carried on the 18th March, 2013.

It was communicated by the Speaker on the 18th March, 2013 to the Governor.

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5. OBITUARY REFERENCES

References to the deaths of the following were made by the Hon'ble Speaker on the 12th March, 2013 :—

1. Shri Satpal Saini, Ex-Minister of State, Punjab;
2. Smt. Pritpal Kaur Wasu, Ex-MLC;
3. Shri Chhajju Ram Gupta, Ex-MLA;
4. Sardar Gurdev Singh Grewal, Ex-MLA;
5. Sardar Prem Singh, Eminent Politician;
6. Sardar Karam Singh, Eminent Politician;
7. Giani Mohinder Singh, Ex-Member, SGPC;
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20. Shri Hira Lal Sibal, Eminent Lawyer;
21. Miss Damini, Victim of Inhumane Rape; and
22. Death of children in road accident in Nakodar Assembly Constituency.

All the Members stood in silence for two minutes as a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased.

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6. FINANCIAL BUSINESS

I. Supplementary Demands for Grants for Expenditure of the Government of Punjab for the year 2012-13.

(i) The Supplementary Demands for Grants for Expenditure of the Government of Punjab for the year 2012-13 were presented to the Vidhan Sabha on the 19th March, 2013 and these were discussed and voted on the same day.

There were 25 Demands in all totalling a sum of Rs. 9808,29,58,000.

In accordance with the past practice, a general discussion on all the Supplementary Demands together was permitted on the 19th March, 2013, 23 Members (17 from SAD and 6 from BJP) from the Treasury Benches and 1 Independent Member spoke for 163 and 11 minutes respectively on the Demands for Grants. The Demands were put to the vote of the House and carried.

(ii) The Punjab Appropriation Bill, 2013 (No. 2-PLA-2013) in respect of Supplementary Demands voted upon by the Vidhan Sabha on the 19th March, 2013 and expenditure charged on the Consolidated Fund of the State of Punjab was introduced on the 19th March, 2013.

It was before the House for 10 minutes.

The Bill was passed on the 19th March, 2013.

II. The Budget Estimates for the year 2013-14

I. The Budget Estimates for the year 2013-14 were presented to the House on the 20th March, 2013.

General discussion on the Budget was held on the—

22nd March, 2013	For 230 minutes [Treasury 213 minutes (SAD - 141, BJP-72 (and IND 17 minutes)].
25th March, 2013	For 71 minutes (Treasury SAD-71 minutes)

The Finance Minister by way of reply spoke for 51 minutes on the 25th March, 2013.

Total time taken by the Treasury Benches including time taken by the Finance Minister was 284 minutes and IND 17 minutes.

II. **Demands for Grants** — There were in all 29 Demands for Grants, totalling a sum of Rs. 69051,78,75,000. All the Demands were discussed collectively and put to the vote of the House and carried on the 25th March, 2013.

III. **The Punjab Appropriation (No. 2) Bill, 2013.**

The Punjab Appropriation (No. 2) Bill, 2013 (No. 3-PLA-2013) in respect of the Demands voted by the Sabha and expenditure charged on the Consolidated Fund of the State of Punjab, was introduced on the 25th March, 2013.

The Bill was passed on the 25th March, 2013.

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7. LEGISLATION

The Sabha transacted Legislative Business on 25th March, 2013 and Financial Business was transacted on 19th March, 2013 and 25th March, 2013.

(I) Official Bills

The Sabha passed 18 Bills in all (including 2 Appropriation Bills, 6 Principal Bills and 10 Amending Bills).(Please see Table).

(II) Non-Official Bills

Nil

TABLE

Sr. No.	Title of the Bill	Minister Introducing	Date of Introduction	Date of Consideration	Number of Speeches			Time taken in Minutes			Amendment Proposed			Amendments not moved/ withdrawn/ held out of order/leave refused			Amendments Carried			Total Time taken in minutes for the disposal of the Bills	Date of Passing	Remarks
					SAD/BJP/(TREASURY)	INC	Independent	SAD/BJP/(TREASURY)	INC	Independent	SAD/BJP/(TREASURY)	INC	Independent	SAD/BJP/(TREASURY)	INC	Independent	SAD/BJP/(TREASURY)	INC	Independent			
1.	The Punjab Appropriation Bill, 2013	Finance Minister	19-3-2013	19-3-2013	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	19-3-2013	
2.	The Punjab Appropriation (No. 2) Bill, 2013	Finance Minister	25-3-2013	25-3-2013	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	25-3-2013	
3.	The Punjab Motor Vehicles Taxation (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Transport Minister	25-3-2013	25-3-2013	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	25-3-2013	

4.	The Punjab State Cancer and Drug Addiction Treatment Infrastructure Fund Bill, 2013	Health and Family Welfare Minister	25-3-2013	25-3-2013	4	-	1	14	-	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	16	25-3-2013	
5.	The Punjab Municipal Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Local Government Minister	25-3-2013	25-3-2013	1	-	1	3	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	25-3-2013	
6.	The Punjab Community Participation in Municipalities Bill, 2013	Local Government Minister	25-3-2013	25-3-2013	4	-	-	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	25-3-2013	
7.	The Punjab Rent (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Local Government Minister	25-3-2013	25-3-2013	3	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	25-3-2013	
8.	The Punjab State Election Commission (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Elections Minister	25-3-2013	25-3-2013	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	25-3-2013	
9.	The Punjab Excise (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Deputy Chief Minister	25-3-2013	25-3-2013	1	-	1	3	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	25-3-2013	

10.	The Punjab Value Added Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Deputy Chief Minister	25-3-2013	25-3-2013	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	25-3-2013	
11.	The Punjab Ancient, Historical Monuments, Archaeological Sites and Cultural Heritage Maintenance Board Bill, 2013	Cultural Affairs Minister	25-3-2013	25-3-2013	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	25-3-2013	
12.	The Punjab Contract Farming Bill, 2013	Chief Minister	25-3-2013	25-3-2013	2	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	25-3-2013	
13.	The Punjab Co-operative Societies (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Chief Minister	25-3-2013	25-3-2013	2	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	25-3-2013	
14.	The Prisons (Punjab (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Jails Minister	25-3-2013	25-3-2013	2	-	-	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	25-3-2013	

15.	The Punjab Educational Institutions (Prohibition of Ragging) Bill, 2013	Education, Highter Education and Languages Minister	25-3-2013	25-3-2013	4	-	-	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	25-3-2013	
16.	The Punjab Laws (Special Provisions) Bill, 2013	Deputy Chief Minister	25-3-2013	25-3-2013	2	-	-	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	25-3-2013	
17.	The Punjab Lokpal (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Chief Minister	25-3-2013	25-3-2013	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	25-3-2013	
18.	The Punjab Lokpal (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013	Chief Minister	25-3-2013	25-3-2013	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	25-3-2013	

8. SYNOPSIS OF BILLS PASSED BY THE VIDHAN SABHA

1. The Punjab Motor Vehicles Taxation (Amendment) Bill, 2013.

(Introduced and passed on the 25th March, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to increase the rate of Motor Vehicles Tax on transfer of all types of motor vehicles, to discourage the tourist sleeper coach buses and providing place of Tax Collection Centres to the owner of tourist vehicles/contract carriage buses/taxies/maxi cabs of other States while entering the State of Punjab.

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2. The Punjab Appropriation Bill, 2013.

(Introduced and passed on the 19th March, 2013)

This Bill provides for the appropriation from and out of the Consolidated Fund of the State of Punjab of all moneys required to meet the Supplementary expenditure made by the Legislative Assembly for the Financial Year 2012-2013.

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3. The Punjab Appropriation (No. 2) Bill, 2013.

(Introduced and passed on the 25th March, 2013)

This Bill provides for the appropriation from and out of the Consolidated Fund of the State of Punjab of all moneys required to meet the expenditure charged on the Consolidated Fund and the grants made in advance by the Legislative Assembly in respect of the estimated expenditure of the State Government, for the Financial Year 2013-2014.

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4. The Punjab State Cancer and Drug Addiction Treatment Infrastructure Fund Bill, 2013.

(Introduced and passed as amended on the 25th March, 2013)

This Bill seeks to constitute a Fund for supporting the creation of infrastructure for cancer and drug addiction treatment and for the matters connected therewith and incidental thereto.

5. **The Punjab Municipal Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2013**

(Introduced and passed on the 25th March, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to set up Area Sabhas and Wards Committees for the purpose of community participation in all the Municipalities.

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6. **The Punjab Community Participation in Municipalities Bill, 2013**

(Introduced and passed on the 25th March, 2013)

This Bill seeks to provide for community participation for performing and discharging certain functions and duties of the Municipalities and for setting up of Area Sabhas and Works Committees and matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

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7. **The Punjab Rent (Amendment) Bill, 2013**

(Introduced and passed on the 25th March, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as provide some relief to Non Resident Indians in the matter of getting immediate possession of their properties, given on rent and this Act will not apply to the tenancies created before the coming into force of this Act.

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8. **The Punjab State Election Commission (Amendment) Bill, 2013**

(Introduced and passed on the 25th March, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to incorporate the provision of disqualifying from membership under certain conditions.

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9. **The Punjab Excise (Amendment) Bill, 2013**

(Introduced and passed on the 25th March, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to reduce the smuggling of liquor in Punjab by imposing stringent penalties.

10. The Punjab Value Added Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 25th March, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to introduce e-trip system in order to upload the information regarding inter State transactions, levy VAT @ 55% (including surcharge) on Cigarettes and to increase rate of tax deduction at source on works contracts from 5% to 6%.

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11. The Punjab Ancient, Historical Monuments, Archaeological Sites and Cultural Heritage Maintenance Board Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 25th March, 2013)

This Bill seeks to provide for the establishment of the Punjab Ancient, Historical Monuments, Archaeological Sites and Cultural Heritage Maintenance Board with a view to provide for a dedicated Fund for the conservation and preservation of the protected and unprotected built heritage of the State as well as operation and maintenance and upkeep thereof and funding for heritage memorials to be created/constructed as well as operation and maintenance thereof in the State through collection of Cultural Cess and the matters incidental thereto and connected therewith.

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12. The Punjab Contract Farming Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 25th March, 2013)

This Bill seeks to provide for improved marketing of agricultural produce through Contract farming and to regulate the development of efficient Contract farming system by putting in place effective infrastructure for Contract farming and lay down procedures and systems and the matters connected therewith and incidental thereto.

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13. The Punjab Co-operative Societies (Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 25th March, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to enable the compliance of various provisions of the 97th Constitutional amendment alongwith better implementation of various provisions of the Punjab Co-operative Societies Act, 1961.

14. The Prisons (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 25th March, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to make stringent provisions in the law to curb use of mobile phones in the jail.

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15. The Punjab Educational Institutions (Prohibition of Ragging) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 25th March, 2013)

This Bill seeks to provide for prevention of the evil practice of ragging and to provide for disciplinary action against the wrong doers in educational institutions in the State of Punjab and for the matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

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16. The Punjab Laws (Special Provisions) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 25th March, 2013)

This Bill seeks to make special provisions for resolving the problems associated with the development of unauthorised colonies and thereby leading to infrastructure issues in the State of Punjab within a period of one year and for the matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

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17. The Punjab Lokpal (Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 25th March, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to appoint Up-lokpal to assist Lokpal for the effective and smooth working of the office of Lokpal.

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18. The Punjab Lokpal (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 25th March, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to enlarge the scope of Lokpal to look into the complaints against officials of Zila Parishad, Municipal Corporation and Municipal Council or Nagar Panchayat.

9. RESOLUTIONS

(i) Official

The following Resolution was moved on the 25th March, 2013 by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister :—

"WHEREAS the elections to the—

(i) Committee on Public Accounts;

(ii) Committee on Estimates;

(iii) Committee on Public Undertakings; and

(iv) Committee on the Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Backward Classes.

for the year 2013-14, are to be held before the 31st March, 2013; and

WHEREAS the time left at the disposal of the House is extremely short and it is not possible to conduct in the normal course, the elections to these Committees;

NOW, THEREFORE, this House authorizes the Speaker, Punjab Vidhan Sabha, to nominate the Members of the aforesaid Committees for the aforesaid year, keeping in view the proportionate strength of various parties/groups in the House;

This House further resolves that for the above purpose, the rules of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) relating to the elections to the said Committees for the year 2013-14 which are inconsistent with or contrary to the above resolution shall stand suspended".

The Resolution was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

(ii) Non Official

Sr. No.	Subject	Total	Treasury Benches SAD	BJP	Indian National Congress	Independent
1.	No. of Notices received	75	40	—	29	6
2.	No. of Notices admitted	75	40	—	29	6
3.	No. of Notices disallowed	—	—	—	—	—
4.	No. of Notices Referred Back	—	—	—	—	—
5.	No. of Resolutions Balloted	20	12	—	5	3
6.	No. of Resolutions lapsed on prorogation	55	28	—	24	3
7.	No. of Ballots held	Two				
8.	Date(s) on which Ballots held		On 13th March, 2013 and 20th March, 2013			
9.	Date on which Business other than Government Business transacted		On 14th March, 2013 and 21st March, 2013			

(1) **On Thursday, the 14th March, 2013** a Resolution was moved by **Sardar Harpreet Singh, MLA,** as under :—

> "This House recommends to the State Government to launch a social movement to awaken the masses with an aim to check the reckless and worthless spending on marriages and other such functions being solemnized in the state."

While moving the Resolution, he spoke for 11 minutes.

The Resolution was discussed in the House for 87 minutes. All Members from Treasury Benches, took part in the discussion. The Resolution was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

(2) **On the same day,** a Resolution was moved by **Sardar Balwinder Singh Bains, MLA,** as under :—

> "This House recommends to the State Government to take up the matter with the Central Government to formulate Central Schemes for carrying out development of backward Classes of the States keeping in view the financial, geographical and the environment conditions of the various states."

While moving the Resolution, he spoke for 11 minutes.

During discussion on the Resolution, Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema, Shiromani Akali Dal spoke for 18 minutes.

The Resolution was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

(3) **On Thursday, the 21st March, 2013** a Resolution was moved by **Sardar Darshan Singh Kotfatta, MLA,** as under :—

> "This House recommends to the State Government to immediately amend the concerned law to grant legal right to the people for their houses/dwelling units or for some other type of properties, residing within the 'Lal Dora' in the villages."

While moving the Resolution, he spoke for 14 minutes.

The Resolution was discussed in the House for 59 minutes. All the Members from Treasury Benches, took part in the discussion. The Resolution was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously as amended by the House.

10. PAPERS RE-LAID/LAID

Sr. No.	By whom Re-Laid/Laid	Date on which Re-Laid/Laid	Subject
1	2	3	4
1.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	13-03-2013	(i) The 29th Annual Report of the Punjab State Forest Development Corporation Ltd. for the year 2011-12, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
			(ii) The Annual Statement of Accounts and Audit Report of the Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission for the year 2010-11, as required under Section 34(4) of the Electricity Regulatory Commission Act, 1998.
			(iii) The 37th Annual Report of the Punjab Water Resources Management & Development Corporation Ltd. for the year 2007-08, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
			(iv) The 6th Annual Report and Accounts of the Punjab State Grains Procurement Corporation Ltd. (PUNGRAIN) for the year 2008-09, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
			(v) The Annual Report of the Punjab Urban Planning and Development Authority (PUDA) for the year 2009-10, as required under Section 54(2) of the Punjab Regional and Town Planning and Development Act, 1995.

Sr. No.	By whom Re-Laid/Laid	Date on which Re-Laid/Laid	Subject
1	2	3	4
2.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	14-03-2013	(i) The Annual Statement of Accounts of Greater Mohali Area Development Authority (GMADA) for the year 2010-11, as required under Section 53(5) of the Punjab Regional and Town Planning and Development Act, 1995. (ii) The Annual Report of the Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission for the year 2011-12, as required under Section 105(2) of the Electricity Act, 2003. (iii) The Annual Administrative Report of the Finance Department (Local Audit) for the year 2011-12. (iv) The Annual Report & Accounts of the Punjab Ex-Servicemen Corporation for the year 2011-12, as required under Section 23(6) of the Punjab Ex-Servicemen Corporation (PESCO) Act, 1978. (v) The 15th Annual Report of the Punjab State Bus Stand Management Company Limited (PUNBUS) for the year 2009-10, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.

Sr. No.	By whom Re-Laid/Laid	Date on which Re-Laid/Laid	Subject
1	2	3	4
			(vi) The Statement of trends in receipts and expenditure in relation to the Budget from 1st April, 2012 to 30th September, 2012, as required under Section 6(1) of the Punjab Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management Act, 2003.
			(vii) The Annual Accounts and Audit Report of the PEPSU Road Transport Corporation, Patiala for the year 2010-11, as required under Section 33(4) of the Road Transport Corporation Act, 1950 alongwith the Statement explaining the reasons for delay in laying the above said Annual Accounts and Audit Report.
3.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	19-03-2013	1.(i) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India on State Finances for the the year 2011-12 Government of Punjab;
			(ii) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India on Public Sector Undertakings (Social, General and Economic Sectors) for the year 2011-12 Government of Punjab;
			(iii) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India on Social, General and Economic Sectors (Non-Public Sector Undertakings) for the year 2011-12 Government of Punjab;

Sr. No.	By whom Re-Laid/Laid	Date on which Re-Laid/Laid	Subject
1	2	3	4
			(iv) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India on Revenue Sector for the year 2011-12—Government of Punjab.
			(v) Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India on District Ludhiana for the year 2011-12—Government of Punjab.
			(vi) Finance Accounts of Government of Punjab (Volume-I and Volume-II) for the year 2011-12; and
			(vii) Appropriation Accounts of Government of Punjab for the year 2011-12 as required under Article 151(2) of the Constitution of India.
			2. The Punjab Panchayati Raj (Gram Panchayat) Rules, 2012. as required under Section 227(3) of the Punjab Panchayati Raj Act, 1994.
			3. The Annual Report of the Punjab Backward Classes Land Development and Finance Corporation (BACKFINCO) for the year 2010-11, as required under Section 27(6) of the Punjab Backward Classes Land Development and Finance Corporation Act, 1976.
4.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	21-03-2013	1.(i) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Single Point Supply to Co-operative Group Housing Societies/ Employers) (1st Amendment) Regulations, 2010;

Sr. No.	By whom Re-Laid/Laid	Date on which Re-Laid/Laid	Subject
1	2	3	4
			(ii) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Electricity Supply Code and Related Matters) (1st Amendment) Regulations, 2010;
			(iii) The Punjab State Grid Code (1st Amendment)-2010;
			(iv) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Open Access) (Third Amendment) Regulations, 2010;
			(v) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Renewable Purchase Obligation and its Compliance) Regulations, 2011; and
			(vi) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions for Intra-State Open Access) Regulations, 2011,
			as required under Section 182 of the Electricity Act, 2003.
			2.(i) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Fee) (2nd Amendment) Regulations, 2011;
			(ii) Regarding specifying procedure for payment of compensation in the event of failure to meet the standards of performance by the Licensee as envisaged in Regulation 26 of the Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Electricity Supply Code and Related Matters) Regulations, 2007;

Sr. No.	By whom Re-Laid/Laid	Date on which Re-Laid/Laid	Subject
1	2	3	4
			(iii) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Forum and Ombudsman) (Third Amendment) Regulations, 2011; (iv) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Electricity Supply Code and Related Matters) (2nd Amendment) Regulations, 2011; (v) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Demand Side Management) Regulations, 2012; (vi) Regarding amendment in the procedure for payment of compensation in the event of failure to meet the standards of performance by the Licensee as envisaged in Regulation 26 of the Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Electricity Supply Code and Related Matters) Regulations, 2007; and (vii) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions for Inter-State Open Access) (1st Amendment) Regulations, 2012, as required under Section 182 of the Electricity Act, 2003.
5.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	25-03-2013	The 38th Annual Report of the Punjab Water Resources Management and Development Corporation Ltd. for the year 2008-09, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.

11. REPORTS PRESENTED/LAID

Sr. No.	By whom Presented/ Laid	Date on which Presented/ Laid	Subject
1	2	3	4
		I. BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE	
1.	Speaker	13-03-2013	First Report of the Business Advisory Committee.
2.	Speaker	21-03-2013	Second Report of the Business Advisory Committee.
		II. COMMITTEE ON ESTIMATES	
1.	Chairman	19-03-2013	Report of the Committee on Estimates on the Supplementary Demands for Grants for Expenditure of the Government of Punjab, for the year 2012-13.
2.	Chairman	25-03-2013	Report of the Committee on Estimates for the year 2012-13 on the Budget Estimates in respect of Rural Development and Panchayats Departments.
		III. COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS	
1.	Member	21-03-2013	183rd Report of the Committee on Public Accounts on the Appropriation Accounts of the Government of Punjab for the year 2009-10 and the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year 2009-10 (Civil) relating to the Department of Education (Schools).

Sr. No.	By whom Presented/ Laid	Date on which Presented/ Laid	Subject
1	2	3	4
2.	Member	21-03-2013	184th Report of the Committee on Public Accounts on the Appropriation Accounts of the Government of Punjab for the year 2008-09 and the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year 2008-09 (Civil) relating to the Department of Higher Education.
3.	Member	25-03-2013	185th Report of the Committee on Public Accounts on the Appropriation Accounts of the Government of Punjab for the year 2008-09 and 2009-10 and the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year 2008-09 and 2009-10 (Revenue Receipts) relating to the Department of Transport.
	IV. COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC UNDERTAKINGS		
1.	Chairman	21-03-2013	99th Report of the Committee on Public Undertaking on the Audit Paras appearing in the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year 2009-10 (Commercial) relating to the Punjab Water Resources Management and Development Corporation and Punjab State Industrial Development Corporation.

Sr. No.	By whom Presented/ Laid	Date on which Presented/ Laid	Subject
1	2	3	4
2.	Chairman	21-03-2013	100th Report of the Committee on Public Undertakings on the general working of the Pepsu Road Transport Corporation for the year 2012-13.
3.	Chairman	21-03-2013	101st Report of the Committee on Public Undertakings on the general working of the Punjab Scheduled Castes Land Development and Finance Corporation for the year 2012-13.
4.	Chairman	25-03-2013	102nd Report of the Committee on Public Undertaking on the Audit Paras appearing in the Reports of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year 2008-09 and 2009-10 (Commercial) relating to the Punjab State Electricity Board.
5.	Chairman	25-03-2013	103rd Report of the Committee on Public Undertakings for the year 2012-13 on the general working of the Punjab Health Systems Corporation.

V. COMMITTEE ON WELFARE OF SCHEDULED CASTES, SCHEDULED TRIBES AND BACKWARD CLASSES

	Chairman	22-03-2013	39th Report of the Committee on the Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Backward Classes for the year 2012-13.

Sr. No.	By whom Presented/ Laid	Date on which Presented/ Laid	Subject
1	2	3	4
VI. COMMITTEE ON SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION			
	Chairman	21-03-2013	38th Report of the Committee on Subordinate Legislation for the year 2012-13.
VII. COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT ASSURANCES			
	Chairman	19-03-2013	43rd Report of the Committee on Government Assurances for the year 2012-13.
VIII. COMMITTEE ON QUESTIONS AND REFERENCES			
	Chairman	19-03-2013	7th Report of the Committee on Questions and References for the year 2012-13.

12. CENSURE MOTION

Censure Motion was moved by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister in the House, the detail of which is as under :—

Date of Motion	Date when taken up/ mentioned in the House	Subject	Status
1	2	3	4
14-3-2013	14-3-2013	Regarding conduct of the Leader of Opposition who brought two persons in the House arrogantly and created an unruly scene while misusing his rights and breached the decorum of the House.	Discussed

13. QUESTIONS OF PRIVILEGES

The following Notices of Privilege Motions were received which are as under :—

Sr. No.	Date	Member/Minister giving notice	Subject matter	Remarks
1		2	3	4
1.	14-3-2013	Sh. Sunil Jakhar, Leader of Opposition	Regarding charging Sukhwant Singh Gill, Commandant Punjab Armed Police, SAS Nagar & others for forcibly entering into the office of the Congress Legislature Party and also against Doctor Charnjit Singh Atwal, Speaker Punjab Vidhan Sabha, Sardar Sukhbir Singh Badal, Deputy CM, Punjab and Sardar Bikram Singh Majithia, Revenue Minister, charging them for ordering the entry of Watch & Ward Staff into the office of Congress Legislature Party.	Kept pending by an order of the Hon'ble Speaker. Later on, the same lapsed after proroga-tion of the Session.
2.	15-3-2013	Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Parlia-mentary Affairs Minister	Regarding breach of privileges and security of the House by Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of Opposition.	Referred to the Committee of Privileges.

14. OTHER MOTIONS

Sr. No.	Minister/ Member moving	Moved on	Discussed on	Subject	Remarks/ Decision
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	13-3-2013	13-3-2013	Adoption of the recommendations contained in the First Report of the Business Advisory Committee.	Carried
2.	Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema	13-3-2013	13-3-2013 15-3-2013 & 18-3-2013	Motion of Thanks for the Address delivered by the Governor on the 11th March, 2013.	Carried on 18-3-2013 (Morning Sitting)
3.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	14-3-2013	14-3-2013	Motion under Rule 97 regarding suspension of nine members of the Opposition Party from the services of the House for the remaining period of the Session.	Carried
4.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	21-3-2013	21-3-2013	Adoption of the recommendations contained in the Second Report of the Business Advisory Committee.	Carried
5.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	25-3-2013	25-3-2013	Motion under Rule 16 regarding Adjournment of the House *Sine-die*.	Carried

15. CALLING ATTENTION NOTICES UNDER RULE 66

In all, 16 notices of Calling Attention to matters of urgent public importance were received. Out of these nine were admitted. Out of these nine, four Calling Attention Notices could not be taken up as the Members were not present in the House and three admitted notices could not be taken up due to paucity of time. The other notices were disallowed by the Speaker in his Chamber on one ground or the other.

The details of two admitted notices which were taken up in the House is given below :—

Sr. No.	Calling Attention Notice No.	Member(s) Calling Attention	Date	Subject	Remarks/
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	12	Sardar Mahesh Inder Singh	18-3-2013	Regarding problems being faced by the people due to expensive treatment of Cancer disease in the State.	The Minister for Health and Family Welfare made a statement.
2.	16	Jathedar Tota Singh	25-3-2013	Regarding menace being created by stray dogs.	The Minister for Animal Husbandry and Fisheries made a statement.

16. MATTERS RAISED DURING ZERO HOUR

The details of the matters raised during Zero Hour are as under :—

Sr. No.	Date	Raised by	Subject-Matter
1	2	3	4
1.	13-03-2013	Parliamentary Affairs Minister	Regarding bringing of unauthorized persons (without pass) into the premises of the Punjab Vidhan Sabha Secretariat by the Leader of the Opposition.

Sr. No.	Date	Raised by	Subject-Matter
1	2	3	4
2.	13-03-2013	Industries & Commerce Minister	Regarding bringing of unauthorized persons (without pass) into the premises of the Punjab Vidhan Sabha Secretariat by the Leader of the Opposition.
3.	13-03-2013	Deputy Chief Minister	-do-
4.	15-03-2013	Revenue Minister	Regarding undesirable behaviour of the Opposition Party and disgraceful incidents that took place in the House during the last two-three days.
5.	15-03-2013	Deputy Chief Minister	-do-
6.	15-03-2013	Parliamentary Affairs Minister	-do-
7.	22-03-2013	Revenue Minister	Regarding misbehaviour of the Opposition Members with Watch & Ward Staff of Punjab Vidhan Sabha Secretariat.
8.	22-03-2013	Parliamentary Affairs Minister	Regarding marking of attendance by the Members of the Oposition without attending the House.
9.	25-03-2013	Parliamentary Affairs Minister	Regarding not realizing the mistakes committed by the Opposition Party.

17. STATEMENT BY MINISTERS

The Chief Minister/Ministers made a total number of five statements including two statements in reply to Calling Attention Notices. The details with regard to the remaining three statements is as follows :—

Sr. No.	Date	Made by	Subject-Matter
1	2	3	4
1.	15-03-2013	Chief Minister	Regarding regrettable behaviour adopted by the Opposition Party and disgraceful incidents that took place in the Legislative Assembly during the last two-three days.
2.	18-03-2013	Chief Minister	Regarding appeal to the Opposition Party to shun the politics of confrontation and participate in the Assembly proceedings. He also made reference to their conduct in the House, disrespect shown to the Chair and holding a mock Session outside the House and also urged Hon'ble Speaker to extend an invitation to the Opposition Party to attend the House and after tendering an apology to him (Hon'ble Speaker) in the House then should contribute their bit towards running the proceedings of the House smoothly while maintaining the high traditions of the House.
3.	22-03-2013	Chief Minister	Regarding expressing grief over the demise of six police officials on Government duty near Bassi Pathana, the Hon'ble Chief Minister made a statement to provide financial assistance of Rs. two lakh and Government job to one member of each affected family as well as free medical aid to eleven injured police officials.

18. COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF SPEECHES MADE AND TIME TAKEN

Number of speeches made by				Time taken in H.M. by			
Treasury Benches		Members of Indian National Congress Party	Independents	Treasury Benches		Members of Indian National Congress Party	Independents
Members excluding Ministers	Ministers			Members excluding Ministers	Ministers		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
56	50	-	6	6.40	6.28	-	0.45
50%	44.6%	-	5.4%	48.7%	47.8%	-	3.5%

Notes : 1. Observations/Statements/Rulings etc. made by the Chair and time taken thereon are not included in the above Statement.

2. Question Hour has been excluded from the Statement.

3. Speeches made and time taken by the Chief Parliamentary Secretaries have been included in the category of Ministers.

4. Time taken on Divisions, Adjournment Motions, Calling Attention Notices, Privilege Motions, No Confidence Motions, Points of Order, Motions in respect of Legislation, Personal Explanations, Congratulatory Speeches, Presentation of Reports and other such Papers etc., if any, is also excluded from the Statement.

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19. FIGURES RELATING TO QUESTIONS

1.	Total No. of Sittings of the Sabha	..	10
2.	Total No. of Notices of Questions received—		
	Starred Questions	..	584
	Unstarred Questions	..	1
	Short Notice Questions	..	-
3.	Total No. of Sittings at which Questions were not taken up	..	2
4.	Total No. of Members from whom Notices were received	..	56

5.	Total No. of Questions placed on Order Paper—		
	Starred Questions	..	160
	Unstarred Questions	..	28
	Short Notice Questions	..	-
6.	Total No. of Starred Questions to which oral answers were given	..	61
7.	Total No. of Starred Questions deemed to have been answered under Rule-38	..	
8.	Total No. of Starred Questions converted into Unstarred Questions	..	205
9.	Total No. of Unstarred Questions replied to	..	17
10.	Total No. of Starred Questions Postponed	..	19
11.	Maximum No. of Questions addressed to any one Minister	..	
	(PWD (B&R) Minister on 22-3-2013), and	..	4
	(Rural Development & Panchayats Minister on 22-3-2013)	..	4
12.	Maximum No, of Questions orally answered by any one Minister **(PWD (B&R) Minister on 22-3-2013)**	..	3

20. QUESTIONS' STATEMENT

Type of Questions	No. of Notices Received	No. of Notices Considered	No. of Notices Admitted	No. of Notices Disallowed/ Referred back	No. of Notices Clubbed with other notices on the same subject	No. of Postponed Questions	No. of Questions Not put.	No. of Questions answered	No. of Starred Questions converted into Unstarred Questions on prorogation of the Session	No. of Questions deemed to have been answered under Rule 38	No. of Notices withdrawn	No. of Supplementaries asked	No. of Notices lapsed on prorogation
Starred Questions	584	563	433	73	25	19	56	61	205	—	2	76	66
Unstarred Questions	1	—	33	—	1	11	—	17	—	—	—	—	—
Short Notice Questions	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

*32 (THIRTY TWO STARRED QUESTIONS WERE ADMITTED AS UNSTARRED QUESTIONS BY THE HON'BLE SPEAKER)

21. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS ANSWERED, DATE-WISE AND PARTY-WISE

DATE	S.A.D	B.J.P.	I.N.C.	INDEPENDENT	TOTAL
13-3-2013	8	–	3	–	11
14-3-2013 taken on 18-3-2013	8	–	–	–	8
15-3-2013	4	–	–	–	4
19-3-2013	3	1	–	–	4
20-3-2013	9	–	–	–	9
21-3-2013	6	–	4	–	10
22-3-2013	6	–	–	1	7
25-3-2013	7	–	1	–	8
				Total :	**61**

22. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS DEEMED TO HAVE BEEN ANSWERED UNDER RULE 38, DATE-WISE AND PARTY-WISE

DATE	S.A.D	B.J.P.	I.N.C.	INDEPENDENT	TOTAL
13-3-2013	–	–	–	–	–
14-3-2013 taken on 18-3-2013	–	–	–	–	–
15-3-2013	–	–	–	–	–
19-3-2013	–	–	–	–	–
20-3-2013	–	–	–	–	–
21-3-2013	–	–	–	–	–
22-3-2013	–	–	–	–	–
25-3-2013	–	–	–	–	–
				Total :	**0**

23. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS LISTED IN THE NAMES OF DIFFERENT MINISTERS, DATE-WISE

Date	Chief Minister	Deputy Chief Minister	Local Govern-ment Minister	Finance Minister	Irrigation Minister	PWD (B&R) Minister	Health & Family Welfare Minister	Food & Supplies Minister	Education Minister	Welfare Minister	Revenue Minister	Social Security Minister	Labour & Employ-ment Minister
13-3-2013	1	–	2	–	2	1	4	1	3	–	1	1	1
14-3-2013 taken on 18-3-2013	1	2	3	1	2	1	2	1	–	–	1	–	–
15-3-2013	–	–	1	–	1	2	3	–	3	1	–	1	–
19-3-2013	2	1	2	–	2	2	2	1	3	–	1	–	–
20-3-2013	1	1	2	–	2	2	1	–	2	1	1	–	–
21-3-2013	–	1	2	1	1	3	2	–	2	1	–	–	1
22-3-2013	1	1	3	1	1	4	3	–	1	–	–	–	–
25-3-2013	–	1	2	2	2	–	1	1	3	2	–	1	–

Date	Rural Development & Panchayats Minister	Forests Minister	Industries Minister	Agriculture Minister	Information Technology Minister	Animal Husbandry Minister	Transport Minister	Medical Education Minister	Cultural Affairs Minister	Technical Education Minister	Employment Generation Minister	Tourism Minister	Printing & Stationery Minister	Total
13-3-2013	1	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	20
14-3-2013 taken on 18-3-2013	2	1	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	20
15-3-2013	1	–	3	–	–	2	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	20
19-3-2013	2	–	–	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	–	–	20
20-3-2013	2	–	–	–	–	1	1	–	1	1	1	–	–	20
21-3-2013	2	–	1	–	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	1	–	20
22-3-2013	4	–	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	20
25-3-2013	3	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1	20

24. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS POSTPONED, DATE-WISE AND PARTY-WISE

DATE	S.A.D	B.J.P.	I.N.C.	INDEPENDENT	TOTAL
13-3-2013	1	–	–	–	1
14-3-2013 taken on 18-3-2013	2	–	1	–	3
15-3-2013	–	–	1	–	1
19-3-2013	2	1	1	–	4
20-3-2013	1	–	2	–	3
21-3-2013	2	–	–	–	2
22-3-2013	1	–	–	–	1
25-3-2013	1	–	3	–	4
				Total :	**19**

25. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS POSTPONED, DATE-WISE AND MINISTER-WISE

Date	Chief Minister	Deputy Chief Minister	Finance Minister	PWD (B&R) Minister	Health & Family Welfare Minister	Food & Supplies Minister	Education Minister	Welfare Minister	Total
13-3-2013	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	–	1
14-3-2013 taken on 18-3-2013	1	2	–	–	–	–	–	–	3
15-3-2013	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1
19-3-2013	2	1	–	–	–	1	–	–	4
20-3-2013	–	–	1	1	1	–	–	–	3
21-3-2013	–	–	–	1	–	–	–	1	2
22-3-2013	1	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	1
25-3-2013	–	1	–	–	–	1	1	1	4
								Total :	19

26. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS NOT-PUT, DATE-WISE AND PARTY-WISE

DATE	S.A.D	B.J.P.	I.N.C.	INDEPENDENT	TOTAL
13-3-2013	3	–	5	–	8
14-3-2013 taken on 18-3-2013	–	–	7	–	7
15-3-2013	1	–	12	3	16
19-3-2013	2	–	9	2	13
20-3-2013	–	–	8	–	8
21-3-2013	2	–	5	1	8
22-3-2013	3	–	8	–	11
25-3-2013	2	–	7	–	9
				Total :	**80**

27. WALK-OUTS

Sr. No.	Date	Member(s) walking out	Occasion
1.	13-3-2013	All the Members of the Indian National Congress Party, present in the House.	As a mark of protest against the presence of Watch-and-Ward Staff around the office of the Indian National Congress Legislature Party, located in the premises of the Punjab Vidhan Sabha Secretariat.
2.	15-3-2013	All the Members of the Indian National Congress Party, present in the House.	As a mark of protest against the suspension of nine Members of the Indian National Congress Party for the remaining period of the Session.

28. DHARNA

Sr. No.	Date	Member(s) sitti2ng in Dharna	Occasion
1.	13-3-2013	All the Members of the Indian National Congress Party, present in the House.	As a mark of protest against the presence of the Watch - and-Ward Staff around the office of the Indian National Congress Legislature Party, located in the premises of the Punjab Vidhan Sabha Secretariat.

29. UNPARLIAMENTARY/UNDESIRABLE EXPRESSIONS

Sr. No.	Expressions	Occasion	Date
1	2	3	4
1.	ਮਾਲ ਤੇ ਮੁੜ ਵਸੇਬਾ, ਸੂਚਨਾ ਤੇ ਲੋਕ ਸੰਪਰਕ, ਗੈਰ ਰਵਾਇਤੀ ਊਰਜਾ ਤੇ ਐਨ.ਆਰ.ਆਈ. ਮੰਤਰੀ (ਸਰਦਾਰ ਬਿਕਰਮ ਸਿੰਘ ਮਜੀਠੀਆ) : ਸਭ ਤੋਂ ਵੱਡੇ ਟੈਕਸ ਪੇਅਰ ਦੀ ਲੁਟੇਰੀ ਕਾਂਗਰਸ ਪਾਰਟੀ ਹੈ, ਕਾਂਗਰਸ ਪਾਰਟੀ ਦੇ ਪ੍ਰਧਾਨ ਦੀ ਘਰਵਾਲੀ ਹੈ। **Revenue and Rehabilitation, Information and Public Relations, Non Conventional Energy and NRIs Affairs Minister (Sardar Bikram Singh Majithia)** : The biggest looter of tax payers' money is the Congress Party, wife of Congress Party President.	(When used in reference to the Opposition Party).	22-3-2013

Sr. No.	Expressions	Occasion	Date
1	2	3	4
2.	ਮਾਲ ਤੇ ਮੁੜ ਵਸੇਬਾ, ਸੂਚਨਾ ਤੇ ਲੋਕ ਸੰਪਰਕ, ਗੈਰ ਰਵਾਇਤੀ ਊਰਜਾ ਤੇ ਐਨ.ਆਰ.ਆਈ. ਮੰਤਰੀ (ਸਰਦਾਰ ਬਿਕਰਮ ਸਿੰਘ ਮਜੀਠੀਆ) : 4 ਲੱਖ ਰੁਪਏ ਰੋਜ਼ ਦੀ ਖਜ਼ਾਨੇ ਦੀ ਲੁੱਟ ਕਾਂਗਰਸੀ ਐਮ.ਐਲ.ਏ. ਕਰ ਰਹੇ ਹਨ। **Revenue and Rehabilitation, Information and Public Relations, Non Conventional Energy and NRIs Affairs Minister (Sardar Bikram Singh Majithia)** : The MLAs of Congress Party are swindling Rs. 4 lac from the State funds daily.	(When used in reference to the Opposition Party).	22-3-2013

30. WIT & HUMOUR

Sr. No.	Expressions	Occasion	Date
1	2	3	4
1.	ਮੁੱਖ ਮੰਤਰੀ (ਸਰਦਾਰ ਪਰਕਾਸ਼ ਸਿੰਘ ਬਾਦਲ) : ਹੁਣ ਮੈਨੂੰ ਕਿਸੇ ਨੇ ਚਿੱਟ ਭੇਜੀ ਹੈ ਕਿ ਉਹ ਦਰੱਖਤਾਂ ਤੇ ਚੜ੍ਹੇ ਬੈਠੇ ਹਨ। (ਹਾਸਾ) ਦਰੱਖਤਾਂ ਤੇ ਕੌਣ ਚੜ੍ਹਦਾ ਹੈ ਮੈਂ ਉਸ ਜਾਨਵਰ ਦਾ ਨਾਂ ਤਾਂ ਏਥੇ ਲੈਣਾ ਨਹੀਂ। ....ਨਾਲੇ	(When used in reference to the Opposition Party).	18-3-2013

Sr. No.	Expressions	Occasion	Date
1	2	3	4
	ਤਾਂ ਇਹ ਬੜਕ ਮਾਰਦੇ ਹਨ, ਨਾਲੇ ਮੌਕ ਮਾਰਦੇ ਹਨ..... ਉਸ ਨੂੰ ਕਿਸੇ ਨੇ ਪੁੱਛਿਆ ਕਿ ਨਾਲੇ ਬੜਕ ਮਾਰਦਾ ਐਂ, ਨਾਲੇ ਮੌਕ ਮਾਰਦਾ ਐਂ, ਤਾਂ ਉਹ ਕਹਿੰਦਾ ਕਿ ਬੜਕ ਮੈਂ ਤਾਂ ਮਾਰਦਾ ਹਾਂ ਕਿਉਂਕਿ ਮੈਂ ਢੱਠਾ ਹਾਂ ਅਤੇ ਮੌਕ ਇਸ ਕਰਕੇ ਮਾਰਦਾ ਹੈ ਕਿਉਂਕਿ ਮੈਂ ਗਊ ਦਾ ਜਾਇਆ ਹਾਂ..... (ਮਾਨਯੋਗ ਮੁੱਖ ਮੰਤਰੀ ਵੱਲੋਂ ਕਾਂਗਰਸ ਪਾਰਟੀ ਦੇ ਸਦਨ ਵਿੱਚੋਂ ਵਾਕ-ਆਊਟ ਕਰਨ ਤੇ ਵਰਤੇ ਗਏ।) **Chief Minister (Sardar Parkash Singh Badal) :** .... Someone has just sent me a slip that they have climbed up the trees (laughter) who climbs the trees, I would not name that animal.... On the one hand, they make an uproar and on the other hand they get knuckled down...... On being asked by somebody as to why it makes an uproar and gets knuckled down as well, it replied that I make an uproar because I am an oxen and at the same time get knuckled down because I am a calf.	(when used by the Hon'ble Chief Minister in reference to Walk Out staged by the Congress Party from the House).	

30. OBSERVATIONS MADE BY THE HON'BLE SPEAKER

The following observation was made by the Speaker on 13th March, 2013 regarding sending of replies to Members well-in-advance.

Hon'ble Speaker : Now, please listen to my request. As I have said earlier and now repeating the same again that concerned reply of your question should reach forty-eight hours earlier at Sabha Secretariat. This is one point. Other is that I would like to request the Hon'ble Ministers that reply should be made available to the concerned Member who has asked the question one day earlier in the evening so that he could ask his supplementaries properly and directly. It is my request and I hope that all of you will give credence to the same.

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32. RULINGS GIVEN BY THE SPEAKER

1. **The following Ruling was given on the 13th March, 2013 in the House :—**

> "That this House of ours is an august House and it is the responsibility of every Hon'ble Member to maintain decorum of the House. At times, the Hon'ble Member, while taking part in the discussion on any matter, use unparliamentary/undesirable and irrelevant terminology and despite being stopped time and again, they continue speaking so, Besides this, they also keep on mentioning the name of such a person inside the House who is not present to explain his position or give a reply in the House. This tantamounts to a grave violation of Rule 93 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly).
>
> I would like to bring it to the kind notice of all the Hon'ble Members that if any Member, in violation of the aforesaid Rule, uses unparliamentary/undesirable and irrelevant terminology or speaks without the permission of the Chair,

the same shall not be recorded as a part of the proceeding of the House and will be considered as expunged under Rule 109(A) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly).

At the same time, while drawing the kind attention of the representatives of the Print and Electronic Media towards a Ruling dated 22nd December, 1998, I would like to remind them that the publication/telecast of any specific part of the proceedings of the House, which has been declared to be "Not Allowed" or "Expunged", or which is deemed to be expunged as per this Ruling will tantamount to the violation of the Privileges of the House."

2. **The following Ruling was given on the 14th March, 2013 in the House :—**

Expulsion of Members of the Opposition Party namely Sardar Jagmohan Singh Kang, Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, Shri Amrinder Singh Raja Warring, Sardar Hardial Singh Kamboj, Rana Gurjit Singh, Shri Sukhjinder Singh Randhawa, Sardar Parminder Singh Pinki, Sardar Balbir Singh Sidhu and Sardar Kuljeet Singh Nagra for one day from the House for creating an unparliamentary situation and obstructing the proceedings of the House on 13th March, 2013.

3. **The following Ruling was given on the 18th March, 2013 in the House :—**

That it is the fundamental responsibility of the Speaker to run the House smoothly as well as to maintain order therein as per Rule 97(1) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) and the traditions of the Parliamentary System. It is within the jurisdiction of the Hon'ble Speaker to ensure compliance of the guidelines issued by him so as to maintain amity in the Vidhan Sabha and its premises. Regarding the premises of Punjab Vidhan Sabha, it has been maintained by the Hon'ble Speaker that the entire Punjab Vidhan Bhawan Complex be treated as the precincts of Punjab Vidhan Sabha.

4. **The following Ruling was given on the 19th March, 2013 in the House :—**

In view of the issue raised by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister pertaining to the conduct of the Opposition Party as well as the sentiments of all the Members, the Hon'ble Speaker urged all of them to abide by the Rules and traditions of the House and to extend co-operation in running the proceedings of the House smoothly.

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33. SUSPENSION OF MEMBERS FROM THE SERVICE OF THE HOUSE

Sr. No.	Date/Year	Member(s) who were suspended	Occasion	Decision
1	2	3	4	5
1.	14-03-2013	Sardar Jagmohan Singh Kang, Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, Shri Amrinder Singh Raja Warring, Sardar Hardial Singh Kamboj, Rana Gurjit Singh, Sardar Sukhjinder Singh Randhawa, Sardar Parminder Singh Pinki, Sardar Balbir Singh Sidhu and Sardar Kuljeet Singh Nagra.	For forcefully throwing papers towards the Hon'ble Chairman in the House, for pushing and jostling the Watch and Ward Staff human chain for occupying the Chair of Hon'ble Speaker and creating pandemonium in the House on 13th March, 2013.	1. Ruling regarding the explusion for one day from the House for creating an unparliamentary situation and obstructing the proceedings of the House on 13th March, 2013. 2. Later on, motion regarding suspension of nine members of the Opposition Party from the sittings of the House for the remaining period of the Session was moved in the House and carried.

APPENDIX-I

34. BULLETINS PERTAINING TO THE FOURTH SESSION, 2013

BULLETIN NO. 1

Tuesday, the 12th March, 2013
(From 10.00 A.M. to 10.14 A.M.)

1. Obituary References :

The Hon'ble Speaker made references to the sad demise of the following :—

1. Shri Satpal Saini, Ex-State Minister, Punjab;
2. Smt. Pritpal Kaur Wasu, Ex-MLC;
3. Shri Chhajju Ram Gupta, Ex-MLA;
4. Sardar Gurdev Singh Grewal, Ex-MLA;
5. Sardar Prem Singh, Eminent Politician;
6. Sardar Karam Singh, Eminent Politician;
7. Giani Mohinder Singh, Ex-Member of S.G.P.C.;
8. Jathedar Inderpal Singh Khalsa, Ex-Member of S.G.P.C.;
9. Shri Harbans Lal, Freedom Fighter;
10. Sardar Darshan Singh, Freedom Fighter;
11. Shri Ram Murti Vadera, Freedom Fighter;
12. Sardar Tara Singh, Freedom Fighter;
13. Sardar Mukhtiar Singh, Freedom Fighter;
14. Shri Ruldu Ram, Freedom Fighter;
15. Shri Ved Parkash Mehra, Freedom Fighter;
16. Sardar Kundan Singh Sahota, Freedom Fighter;
17. Sardar Harbhajan Singh Rattan, Famous Punjabi Literator;
18. Sardar Maninder Singh Kang, Famous Critic Writer;
19. Sardar Karnail Singh Nijhar, Famous Punjabi Novelist & Story Writer;
20. Shri Hira Lal Sibal, Eminent Lawyer; and
21. Miss Damini, Victim of Inhuman Rape.

The Hon'ble Speaker paid rich tributes to the above mentioned great personalities and besides aforesaid great personalities, on being asked by the Hon'ble Chief Minister that the children who died in a road accident in Assembly Constituency Nakodar, should also be included in today's list of condolence resolution, the Hon'ble Speaker included them as well in the list of obituary references.

The Hon'ble Speaker informed the House that condolence messages would be sent to the bereaved families.

The House stood in silence for two minutes as a mark of respect to the departed souls.

Thereafter, the House, then adjourned without transacting any other business till 10.00 A.M. on Wednesday, the 13th March, 2013.

BULLETIN NO. 2

Wednesday, the 13th March, 2013
(From 10.00 A.M. to 2.41 P.M.)

1. Questions :

Starred :

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered Under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	11	8	1	—	18

2. Walk out :

During Question Hour, all the Members of the Indian National Congress Party, present in the House staged a walk out from the House raising anti-government slogans as a mark of protest against the presence of Watch and Ward staff around the office of Indian National Congress Legislature Party.

3. Announcement by the Hon'ble Speaker :

(i) Regarding Panel of Chairmen

The Hon'ble Speaker made an announcement under Rule 13(1) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) regarding nomination of the following members to serve on the Panel of Chairmen :—

1. Sardar Gurtej Singh Ghuriana;
2. Sardar Iqbal Singh, Jhundan;
3. Sardar Laal Singh; and
4. Shri Manoranjan Kalia.

(ii) Regarding Governor's Address

In pursuance of Rule 18 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) the Hon'ble Speaker informed the House that the Governor had been pleased to address the Punjab Vidhan Sabha on 11th March, 2013 at 2.00 PM under Article 176(1) of the Constitution of India. The Hon'ble Speaker laid a copy of the Address on the Table of the House.

4. **Announcement by the Secretary :**

The Secretary laid on the Table of the House a Statement showing the Bills which were passed by the 14th Vidhan Sabha during its Third Session, which have since been assented to by the Governor.

5. **The Ruling Given by Hon'ble Speaker :**

Following Ruling was given by the Hon'ble Speaker in the House :—

"That this House of ours is an august house and it is the responsibility of every Hon'ble Member to maintain decorum of the House. At times, the Hon'ble Members, while taking part in the discussion on any matter, uses unparliamentary/undersirable and irrelevant terminology and despite being stopped time and again, they continue speaking so. Besides this, they also keep on mentioning the name of such a person inside the House who is not present to explain his position or give a reply in the House. This tantamounts to grave violation of Rule 93 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly).

I would like to bring it to the kind notice of all the Hon'ble Members that if any Member, in violation of the aforesaid Rule, uses unparliamentary/undersirable and irrelevant terminology or speaks without the permission of the Chair, the same shall not be recorded as a part of the proceedings of the House and will be considered as expunged under Rule 109(A) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly).

At the same time, while drawing the kind attention of the representatives of the Print and Electronic Media towards a Ruling, dated 22nd December, 1998, I would like to remind them that the publication/telecast of any specific part of the proceedings of the House, which has been declared to be "Not Allowed" or "Expunged", or which is deemed to be expunged as per this Ruling, will tantamount to the violation of the Privileges of the House".

6. **Announcement by the Hon'ble Chief Minister :**

The Hon'ble Chief Minister appreciated the coming to an end of the confrontration between Sardar Bikram Singh Majithia, Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister and Rana Gurjit Singh, MLA, Indian National

Congress which broke out during the session of December, 2012, and made an appeal to run the proceedings of the House in an amicable way. Besides this, he also made an appeal on the information received regarding the three ladies gate-crashing into the Assembly premises at the behest of the Leader of the Opposition, Shri Sunil Jakhar and asked the Hon'ble Speaker to take steps to check such an illegal act.

7. Calling Attention Notices :

The Calling Attention Notice Nos. 2 & 3 were not put.

8. First Report of the Business Advisory Committee :

The Hon'ble Speaker presented to the House the First Report of the Business Advisory Committee regarding the business to be transacted by the Punjab Vidhan Sabha in its sittings from 13th March, 2013 to 25th March, 2013.

The following motion moved by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister was put to the vote of the House and carried :—

"That this House agrees with the recommendations contained in the First Report of the Business Advisory Committee."

9. Papers to be laid on the Table :

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister laid on the Table of the House papers as mentioned at Sr. No. 1 to 5 shown under item No. V in today's List of Business.

10. Adjournment of the House for a short while :

The Chairman adjourned the House from 11.26 A.M. to 12.00 Noon due to pandemonium created by the members of Indian National Congress, present in the House, as a mark of protest on the issue raised during the Question Hour.

The House re-assembled at 12.00 Noon and the Hon'ble Speaker adjourned the House from 12.00 Noon to 1.00 P.M. and again from 1.00 P.M. to 2.00 P.M.

11. Dharna :

Some Members of the Indian National Congress Party trooped into the well of the House raising anti-govt. slogans and sat on a dharna in protest.

12. Motion of Thanks and Discussion on Governor's Address

The following motion on Governor's Address was moved by the Hon'ble Member Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema, SAD which was seconded by Shri Manoranjan Kalia, BJP M.L.A. :—

"That the Members of this House assembled in this Session are deeply grateful to the Governor for the Address which he has been pleased to deliver to the House on the 11th March, 2013."

Thereafter, Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema, SAD took part in the discussion and spoke for 38 minutes.

Due to adjournment of the House, the Hon'ble Member Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema, will continue discussion on 15th March, 2013.

13. Extension of Time

With the consent of the House, the time of today's sitting was extended from 2.30 P.M. to 3.00 P.M. for half an hour.

14. Pandemonium in the House

The Members of the Indian National Congress Party were throwing papers laid on the Table of the House forcefully towards the Hon'ble Chairman. Thereafter, while pushing and jostling the Watch and Ward Staff human chain for occupying the Chair of the Hon'ble Speaker, they moved towards the Chair of the Hon'ble Speaker after forcibly shattering the human chain of the Watch and Ward Staff.

Sardar Gurtej Singh Ghuriana, Member, Panel of Chairmen occupied the Chair from 11.24 A.M. to 11.26 A.M. and from 2.00 P.M to 2.40 P.M.

Thereafter, the House, then adjourned till 10.00 A.M. on Thursday, the 14th March, 2013.

BULLETIN NO. 3

Thursday, the 14th March, 2013
(From 10.00 A.M. to 2.45 P.M.)

1. To Adjourn Question Hour

The Hon'ble Speaker adjourned the Questions listed in Today's Question list for some other day.

2. Ruling given by the Hon'ble Speaker regarding expulsion of nine members of the Opposition Party from the House for one day.

The Hon'ble Speaker gave the ruling regarding expulsion of Members of the Opposition Party namely Sardar Jagmohan Singh Kang, Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, Shri Amrinder Singh Raja Warring, Sardar Hardial Singh Kamboi, Rana Gurjit Singh, Sardar Sukhjinder Singh Randhawa, Sardar Parminder Singh Pinki, Sardar Balbir Singh Sidhu and Sardar Kuljeet Singh Nagra for one day from the House for creating an unparliamentary situation and obstructing the proceedings of the House on 13th March, 2013.

3. To Adjourn the House for a short while

The House was adjourned from 10.07 A.M. to 11.00 A.M. due to pandemonium in the House created by the Opposition as a mark of protest against the suspension of some members of the Opposition by the Hon'ble Speaker.

4. Censure Motion

The following Censure motion was moved by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister in the House :—

"That the conduct of the Leader of the Opposition, who brought two persons in the House arrogantly and created an unruly scene while misusing his rights and breached the decorum of the House, be condemned in the harshest words."

He spoke for 5 minutes, while moving the motion.

The following members expressed their views on the aforesaid Motion :—

1.	Sardar Sohan Singh Thandal, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	2 minutes
2.	Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema, Shiromani Akali Dal	..	3 minutes
3.	Shri Anil Joshi, Industries and Commerce Minister	..	2 minutes
4.	Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party	..	5 minutes
5.	Shri N.K. Sharma, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	4 minutes
6.	Shri Ashwani Kumar Sharma, Bharatiya Janata Party	..	3 minutes
7.	Shri Pawan Kumar Tinu, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	12 minutes
8.	Shrimati Mohinder Kaur Josh, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	8 minutes
9.	Shri Som Parkash, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	7 minutes
10.	Shri Parkash Chand Garg, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	4 minutes
11.	Doctor Navjot Kaur Sidhu, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	1 minute
12.	Sardar Baljit Singh Jalal Usma, Shiromani Akali Dal	..	8 minutes

5. Calling Attention Notice

The Calling Attention Notice No. 4 was not put

6. Papers to be laid on the Table :

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister laid on the Table of the House papers as mentioned at Sr. No. 1 to 7 shown under item No. III in today's List of Business.

7. Resolution

(1) Sardar Harpreet Singh, M.L.A. moved the following Resolution in the House which was carried unanimously by the House :—

"This House recommends to the State Government to launch a social movement to awaken the masses with an aim to check the reckless and worthless spending on marriages and other such functions being solemnized in the State."

While moving the Resolution, he spoke for 11 minutes.

The following members took part in the discussion on the Resolution and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names —

No.	Member		Time
1.	Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, Shiromani Akali Dal	..	9 minutes
2.	Shri K.D. Bhandari, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	8 minutes
3.	Shri Deep Malhotra, Shiromani Akali Dal	..	4 minutes
4.	Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party	..	15 minutes
5.	Shri Anil Joshi, Industries and Commerce Minister	..	3 minutes
6.	Shri Pawan Kumar Tinu, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	12 minutes
7.	Sardar Gulzar Singh Ranike, Welfare Minister	..	2 minutes
8.	Justice Nirmal Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	..	9 minutes
9.	Sardar Manpreet Singh Ayali, Shiromani Akali Dal	..	5 minutes
10.	Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Health and Family Welfare Minister	..	2 minutes
11.	Bibi Jagir Kaur, Shiromani Akali Dal	..	18 minutes

(2) Sardar Balwinder Singh Bains, M.L.A. moved the following Resolution in the House which was carried unanimously by the House :—

"This House recommends to the State Government to take up the matter with Central Government to formulate Central Schemes for carrying out development of Backward Classes of the States keeping in view the financial, geographical and the environmental conditions of the various States."

Which moving the Resolution, he spoke for 11 minutes.

During discussion on the Resolution, Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema, Shiromani Akali Dal spoke for 18 minutes.

8. Motion regarding suspension of nine members of the Opposition Party from the sittings of the House for the remaining period of the Session.

The following Motion was moved by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister in the House and was carried :—

"That if Rule 97 or other Rule/Rules of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) which are inconsistent with the Motion to be moved regarding the suspension of nine members of the Opposition Party from the sittings of the House for the remaining period of the Session, shall stand suspended up to that extent."

After approval of the Motion regarding suspension of aforesaid Rules by the House, the following Motion was moved in the House and carried.

"That Members of Congress Legislative Party in the House Sardar Jagmohan Singh Kang, Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, Shri Amrinder Singh Raja Warring, Sardar Hardial Singh Kamboj, Rana Gurjit Singh, Sardar Sukhjinder Singh Randhawa, Sardar Parminder Singh Pinki, Sardar Balbir Singh Sidhu and Sardar Kuljeet Singh Nagra, who disrupted the proceedings of the House intentionally and breached the decorum of the House despite the repeated orders of the Chair, be suspended from the business of the House for the remaining period of the Session."

9. Extension of Time

With the consent of the House, the time of today's Sitting was extended till the completion of remaining business of the House.

The Hon'ble Deputy Speaker occupied the Chair of the House from 12.27 P.M. to 2.15 P.M.

The House, then adjourned till 10.00 A.M. on Friday, the 15th March, 2013.

BULLETIN NO. 4

Friday, the 15th March, 2013
(From 10.00 A.M. to 2.30 P.M.)

1. Questions :

Starred

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	4	15	1	—	5

2. Walk out

During the Zero Hour in protest against the suspension of nine Members of Indian National Congress Party for the remaining period of the Session, all the Members of the Indian National Congress Party, present in the House walked out from the House raising anti-Government slogans.

3. Statement by the Hon'ble Chief Minister

The Hon'ble Chief Minister made a statement pertaining to the regretfull behaviour adopted by the Opposition Party and disgraceful incidents that took place in the Legislative Assembly during the last two-three days.

4. Motion Regarding Breach of Privilege of the House

A motion of Breach of Privilege was moved by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister against Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Oppostion for misuse of his rights, breach of privilege of the House and breach of security of the House, which was sent to the Privilege Committee by the Hon'ble Speaker with the consent of the House for action and submission of report within one month.

5. Announcement by the Hon'ble Speaker

The Hon'ble Speaker made an announcement that an F.I.R. has been lodged against the Members who had thrashed the security guard.

6. Resumption of discussion on Governor's Address

The discussion on the following motion on Governor's Address as moved by Hon'ble Member, Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema, Shiromani Akali Dal and seconded by Hon'ble Member, Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party was resumed.

"That the Members of this House assembled in this session are deeply grateful to the Governor for the Address which he has been pleased to deliver to the House on the 11th March, 2013."

The following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :—

Sr. No.	Name of the Members	Time Taken
1.	Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema, Shiromani Akali Dal	48 Minutes
2.	Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party	42 Minutes
3.	Shri Ashwani Kumar Sharma, Bharatiya Janata Party	29 Minutes
4.	Shrimati F. Nisara Khatoon, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	10 Minutes
5.	Sardar Virsa Singh Valtoha, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	51 Minutes
6.	Jathedar Tota Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	09 Minutes

Due to the adjourment of the House, Hon'ble Member Jathedar Tota Singh will continue the discussion on 18th March, 2013.

The Hon'ble Deputy Speaker occupied the Chair from 11.21 A.M. to 01.09 P.M. and Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, Member, Panel of Chairmen occupied the Chair from 01.10 P.M. to 2.30 P.M.

The House then adjourned till 02.00 P.M. on Monday, the 18th March, 2013.

BULLETIN NO. 5

Monday, the 18th March, 2013
(From 2.00 P.M. to 6.27 P.M.)

1. Questions

Starred

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered Under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	8	9	3	—	9

2. Ruling by the Hon'ble Speaker

The Hon'ble Speaker gave the ruling in the House that it is the fundamental responsibility of the Speaker to run the House smoothly as well as to maintain order therein as per Rule 97 (1) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) and the traditions of the Parliamentary system. It is within the jurisdiction of the Hon'ble Speaker to ensure compliance of the guidelines issued by him so as to maintain amity in the Vidhan Sabha and its premises. Regarding the premises of Punjab Vidhan Sabha, it has been maintained by the Hon'ble Speaker that the entire Punjab Vidhan Bhawan be treated as the premises of Punjab Vidhan Sabha.

3. Statement by the Hon'ble Chief Minister

The Hon'ble Chief Minister while making an appeal to the Opposition Party to give up the politics of confrontation and participate in the Assembly proceedings, made a reference to their conduct in the House, disrespect shown to the Chair and holding a mock session outside the House. He urged the Hon'ble Speaker to extend an invitation to the Opposition party to attend the House and after tendering an apology to him (Hon'ble Speaker) in the House then should contribute their bit towards running the proceedings of the House smoothly while maintaining the high traditions of the House.

4. Calling Attention Notice

Sardar Maheshinder Singh, M.L.A. drew the attention of the Government towards the problems being faced by the people due to expensive treatment of Cancer disease in the State. (No. 12)

The Health and Family Welfare Minister made a statement.

5. Resumption of Discussion on Governor's Address and Vote on the Motion of thanks

The following motion on Governor's Address which was moved by Hon'ble Member Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema, Shiromani Akali Dal and seconded by Hon'ble Member Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party was resumed for discussion and the motion was put to the vote of the House and carried :—

"That the Members of this House assembled in this Session are deeply grateful to the Governor for the Address which he has been pleased to deliver to the House on the 11th March, 2013."

The following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names.

Sr. No.	Name of the Members	Time Taken
1.	Jathedar Tota Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	21 Minutes
2.	Bibi Jagir Kaur, Shiromani Akali Dal	27 Minutes
3.	Shri Som Parkash, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	23 Minutes
4.	Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, Shiromani Akali Dal	22 Minutes
5.	Sardar K.D. Bhandari, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	17 Minuter

While taking part in the discussion, the Hon'ble Chief Minister, by way of reply, spoke for 1 hour 25 minutes.

Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, Member, Panel of Chairmen occupied the Chair from 3.22 P.M. to 4.26 P.M. and Shri Manorajan Kalia, Member, Panel of Chairmen from 4.27 P.M. to 5.07 P.M.

The House then adjourned till 10.00 A.M. on Tuesday, the 19th March, 2013.

SPECIAL BULLETIN NO. 1

Discussion on Governor's Address

Discussion on Governor's Address took place on three days i.e. 13th March, 15th March and 18th March, 2013 and it continued for 7 hours and 02 Minutes. The detail of time taken by various Parties is as under :—

Sr. No.	Name of the Party	No. of Members who took part in the discussion	Time Taken Hrs./Minutes
1.	Shiromani Akali Dal	7	5 Hours 11 Minutes
2.	Indian National Congress	—	—
3.	Bharatiya Janata Party	4	1 Hour 51 Minutes
4.	Independent	—	—

Note : Time taken by Shiromani Akali Dal also includes the time taken by the Hon'ble Chief Minister who spoke for 1 hour and 25 minutes.

BULLETIN NO. 6

Tuesday, the 19th March, 2013
(From 10.00 A.M. to 1.13 P.M.)

1. Questions

Starred

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered Under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	3	13	4	—	4

2. Calling Attention Notice

The Calling Attention Notice No. 15 was not put.

3. Papers to be laid on the Table

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister laid on the Table of the House Papers as mentioned at Sr. No. 1 to 3 shown under item No. III in today's List of Business.

4. Presentation of Reports

(a) The Chairman (Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema) of the Government Assurances Committee presented the 43rd Report of the Committee on Government Assurances for the year 2012-2013.

(b) The Chairman (Shri Manoranjan Kalia) of the Committee on Questions and References presented the 7th Report of the Committee on Questions and References for the year 2012-2013.

5. Financial Business

(i) **THE FINANCE MINISTER** presented the Supplementary Demands for Grants for Expenditure of the Government of Punjab, for the year 2012-2013.

(ii) **THE CHAIRMAN, COMMITTEE ON ESTIMATES** (Sardar Hari Singh) presented the Report of the Committee on Estimates on the Supplementary Demands for Grants for Expenditure of the Government of Punjab, for the year 2012-2013.

(iii) **SUPPLEMENTARY DEMANDS FOR GRANTS FOR EXPENDITURE OF THE GOVERNEMENT OF PUNJAB FOR THE YEAR 2012-2013.**

1. Discussion on the Estimates of the Expenditure Charged on revenue of the State.

2. Voting on the Demands for Supplementary Grants.

Demands No. 1 to 13, 15, 16, 18, 19, 21, 22 and 25 to 30 contained in the List of Business were put to the vote of the House together and carried.

The following members took part in the discussion on the Supplementary Demands for Grants and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :—

1.	Sardar Sohan Singh Thandal, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	13 minutes
2.	Doctor Navjot Kaur Sidhu, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	2 minutes
3.	Shri Parkash Chand Garg, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	4 minutes
4.	Sardar Virsa Singh Valtoha, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	9 minutes
5.	Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, Shiromani Akali Dal	..	5 minutes
6.	Jathedar Tota Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	..	6 minutes
7.	Shri Anil Joshi, Industries and Commerce Minister	..	10 minutes
8.	Justice Nirmal Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	..	6 minutes
9.	Shri N.K. Sharma, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	7 minutes

10.	Sardar Maheshinder Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	..	10 minutes
11.	Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Health and Family Welfare Minister	..	3 minutes
12.	Sardar Manpreet Singh Ayali, Shiromani Akali Dal	..	4 minutes
13.	Shri Som Parkash, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	6 minutes
14.	Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party	..	7 minutes
15.	Chaudhary Nand Lal, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	8 minutes
16.	Shri Pawan Kumar Tinu, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	17 minutes
17.	Shri Ashwani Kumar Sharma, Bharatiya Janata Party	..	9 minutes
18.	Bibi Mohinder Kaur Josh, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	6 minutes
19.	Bibi Jagir Kaur, Shiromani Akali Dal	..	5 minutes
20.	Sardar Gurpartap Singh Wadala, Shiromani Akali Dal	..	13 minutes
21.	Sardar Balwinder Singh Bains, Independent	..	11 minutes
22.	Sardar Chatin Singh Samao, Shiromani Akali Dal	..	3 minutes
23.	Sardar Baljit Singh Jalal Usma, Shiromani Akali Dal	..	6 minutes
24.	Shri Sarup Chand Singla, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	..	4 minutes

(iv) THE PUNJAB APPROPRIATION BILL, 2013

The Finance Minister introduced THE PUNJAB APPROPRIATION BILL, 2013 and moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Clauses 2 to 4, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Schedule, Clause 1 and the Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Finance Minister "That THE PUNJAB APPROPRIATION BILL, 2013 be passed", was put to the vote of the House and carried.

6. Ruling by the Hon'ble Speaker

In view of the issue raised by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister pertaining to the conduct of the Opposition Party as well as the sentiments of all the Members, the Hon'ble Speaker urged all of them to *abide* by the Rules and traditions of the House and to extend co-operation in running the proceedings of the House smoothly.

Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, Member, Panel of Chairmen occupied the Chair from 11.14 A.M. to 12.18 P.M.

The House, then adjourned till 10.00 A.M. on Wednesday, the 20th March, 2013.

BULLETIN NO. 7

Wednesday, the 20th March, 2013
(From 10.00 A.M. to 12.04 P.M.)

1. Questions

Starred

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered Under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	9	8	3	—	9

2. Presentation of Budget Estimates for the Year 2013-14

The Finance Minister presented the Budget Estimates for the year 2013-14 and while doing so he spoke for 1 hour 46 minutes.

Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, Member, Panel of Chairmen occupied the Chair from 11.14 A.M. to 11.32 A.M. and the Hon'ble Deputy Speaker occupied the Chair of the House from 11.33 A.M. to 11.48 A.M.

The House then adjourned till 10.00 A.M. on Thursday, the 21st March, 2013.

BULLETIN NO. 8

Thursday, the 21st March, 2013
(From 10.00 A.M. to 1.23 P.M.)

1. Questions

Starred

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered Under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	10	8	2	—	12

2. Second Report of Business Advisory Committee

The Hon'ble Speaker presented to the House the Second Report of Business Advisory Committee regarding the Business to be transacted by the Punjab Vidhan Sabha in its sittings from 21st March, 2013 to 25th March, 2013.

The following motion moved by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister was put to the vote of the House and carried :—

"That this House agrees with the recommendations contained in the Second Report of the Business Advisory Committee.

3. Papers to be Re-Laid/Laid on the Table

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister laid on the Table of the House Papers as mentioned at Serial No. 1 and 2 shown under Item No. III in today's List of Business.

4. Presentation of the Reports

1. A Member (Sardar Darshan Singh Shivalik) of Committee on Public Accounts—

   (i) Presented the 183rd Report of the Committee on Public Accounts on the Appropriation Accounts of the Government of Punjab for the year 2009-2010 and the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year 2009-2010 (Civil) relating to the Department of Education (Schools).

(ii) Presented the 184th Report of the Committee on Public Accounts on the Appropriation Accounts of the Government of Punjab for the year 2008-2009 and the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year 2008-2009 (Civil) relating to the Department of Higher Education.

2. The Chairman (Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan) of Committee on Public Undertakings—

(i) Presented the 99th Report of the Committee on Public Undertakings on the Audit Paras appearing in the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the year 2009-2010 (Commercial) relating to the Punjab Water Resources Management and Development Corporation and Punjab State Industrial Development Corporation.

(ii) Presented the 100th Report of the Committee on Public Undertakings on the General Working for the year 2012-2013 relating to the Pepsu Road Transport Corporation.

(iii) Presented the 101st Report of the Committee on Public Undertakings on the General Working for the year 2012-2013 relating to the Punjab Scheduled Castes Land Development and Finance Corporation.

3. The Chairman (Sardar Gurtej Singh Ghuriana) of Committee on Subordinate Legislation presented the 38th Report of the Committee on Subordinate Legislation for the year 2012-2013.

5. Resolution

Sardar Darshan Singh Kotfatta, M.L.A., Shiromani Akali Dal moved the following Resolution in the House, which was carried by the House :

"This House recommends to the State Government to immediately amend the concerned law to grant legal rights to the people for their houses/dwelling units or for some other type of properties, residing within the 'Lal Dora' in the villages."

While moving the Resolution, he spoke for 14 minutes.

The following Members took part in the discussion on Resolution and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :—

1.	Sardar Manpreet Singh Ayali, Shiromani Akali Dal	7 minutes
2.	Jathedar Tota Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	9 minutes
3.	Justice Nirmal Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	11 minutes
4.	Shri Pawan Kumar Tinu, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	8 minutes
5.	Shri S.R. Kaler, Shiromani Akali Dal	9 minutes
6.	Shri N.K. Sharma, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	9 minutes
7.	Sardar Sohan Singh Thandal, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	2 minutes
8.	Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, Shiromani Akali Dal	4 minutes

6. Adjournment of the House for a Short While

The Hon'ble Deputy Speaker adjourned the House for one hour from 12.03 P.M. to 01.03 P.M.

The Hon'ble Deputy Speaker occupied the Chair from 11.45 a.m. to 12.03 p.m. and from 12.04 p.m. till the adjournment of the House.

The House then adjourned till 10.00 a.m. on Friday, the 22nd March, 2013.

BULLETIN NO. 9

Friday, the 22nd March, 2013
(From 10.00 A.M. to 2.30 P.M.)

1. Questions :

(a) Starred

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered Under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	7	12	1	—	13

(b) Unstarred : 17

2. Statement by the Hon'ble Chief Minister

While expressing grief over the demise of six police officials on Government duty near Bassi Pathana, the Hon'ble Chief Minister made a statement to provide a financial assistance of Rs. Two Lakh and Government Job to one member of each affected family as well as free medical aid to eleven injured police officials.

3. Presentation of the Report

The Chairman of the Committee on the Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Backward Classes (Sardar Harpreet Singh) presented to the House the 39th Report on the Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Backward Classes for the year 2012-2013.

4. Budget Estimates for the Year 2013-2014

General Discussion on Budget Estimates for the year 2013-2014.

The following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :—

1.	Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema, Shiromani Akali Dal	51 Minutes
2.	Shri Anil Joshi, Industries and Commerce Minister	32 Minutes

3.	Bibi Jagir Kaur, Shiromani Akali Dal	34 Minutes
4.	Sardar Virsa Singh Valtoha, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	34 Minutes
5.	Shri S.R. Kaler, Shiromani Akali Dal	12 Minutes
6.	Doctor Navjot Kaur Sidhu, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	14 Minutes
7.	Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party	25 Minutes
8.	Jathedar Tota Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	08 Minutes
9.	Sardar Balwinder Singh Bains, Independent	17 Minutes
10.	Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Parliamentary Affairs Minister	01 Minute
11.	Shri Parkash Chand Garg, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	02 Minutes

Due to the adjournment of the House, Shri Parkash Chand Garg, Chief Parliamentary Secretary will continue the discussion on 25th March, 2013.

The Hon'ble Deputy Speaker occupied the Chair from 11.46 A.M. to 01.07 P.M.

The House then adjourned till 2.00 P.M. on Monday, the 25th March, 2013.

BULLETIN NO. 10

Monday, the 25th March, 2013
(From 2.00 P.M. to 5.36 P.M.)

1. Questions

(a) Starred

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered Under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	7	9	4	—	10

(b) Unstarred : 11

2. Calling Attention Notice

Jathedar Tota Singh, M.L.A. drew the attention of the Government towards menace being created by stray dogs.

(No. 16)

The Animal Husbandry and Fisheries Minister made a statement.

3. Motion Under Rule 16

The following motion moved by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister was put to the vote of the House and carried :—

"That the Vidhan Sabha (Assembly) at its rising this day shall stand adjourned *sine die.*"

4. Papers Laid on the Table

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister laid on the Table of the House papers as mentioned at Serial No. IV in today's List of Business.

5. Presentation on Reports :

1. A Member (Sardar Darshan Singh Shivalik) of Committee on Public Accounts presented the 185th Report of the Committee on Public Accounts on the Appropriation Accounts of the Government of Punjab for the years 2008-2009 and 2009-2010 and the Report of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the years 2008-2009 and 2009-2010 (Revenue Receipts) relating to the Department of Transport.

2. The Chairman of Committee on Estimates (Sardar Hari Singh) presented the Report of the Committee on Estimates for the year 2012-13 on the Budget Estimates in respect of Rural Development and Panchayats Department.

3. The Chairman (Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan) of Committee on Public Undertakings presented :

(i) the 102nd Report of the Committee on Public Undertakings on the Audit Paras appearing in the Reports of the Comptroller and Auditor General of India for the years 2008-09 and 2009-10 (Commercial) relating to the Punjab State Electricity Board; and

(ii) the 103rd Report of the Committee on Public Undertakings for the year 2012-2013 on the general working of the Punjab Health Systems Corporation.

6. The Budget Estimates for the Year 2013-2014

Resumption of General Discussion on the Budget Estimates for the Year 2013-14.

The following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :—

Sr. No.	Name of the Members	Time Taken
1.	Shri Parkash Chand Garg, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	4 Minutes
2.	Shrimati Vaninder Kaur Loomba, Shiromani Akali Dal	4 Minutes
3.	Shri Deep Malhotra, Shiromani Akali Dal	4 Minutes
4.	Shri N.K. Sharma, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	3 Minutes
5.	Shri Pawan Kumar Tinu, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	5 Minutes

The Finance Minister by way of reply spoke for 51 minutes.

7. **Financial Business**

(i) Discussion and Voting on Demands for Grants relating to the Budget Estimates for the year 2013-14.

The Finance Minister presented the Demands for Grants for the Expenditure of the Government of Punjab for the year 2013-14.

Demand Nos. 1 to 19 and 21 to 30 listed in the List of Business were put collectively for the discussion and vote of the House and carried.

(ii) The Punjab Appropriation (No. 2) Bill, 2013

The Finance Minister introduced the Punjab Appropriation (No. 2) Bill, 2013 and moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, as there was no amendment in Clauses 2 to 4, collectively, Schedule, Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Finance Minister "That the Punjab Appropriation (No. 2) Bill, 2013 be passed", was put to the vote of the House and carried.

8. **MOTION REGARDING CONSTITUTION OF ELECTED COMMITTEES FOR THE YEAR 2013-2014**

The following motion moved by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously :

"WHEREAS the election to the —

1. Committee on Public Accounts;
2. Committee on Estimates;
3. Committee on Public Undertakings ; and
4. Committee on Welfare of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Backward Classes for the year 2013-14, are to be held before 31st March 2013 ; and

WHEREAS the time left at the disposal of the House is extremely short and it is not possible to conduct in normal course, the election to these committees;

NOW, THEREFORE, this House authorizes the Speaker, Punjab Vidhan Sabha, to nominate the Members of the aforesaid Committees for the aforesaid year, keeping in view the proportionate strength of various parties/groups in the House;

This House, further resolves that for the above purpose, the rules of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) relating to the Elections to the said Committees for the year 2013-14 which are inconsistent with or contrary to the above resolution shall stand suspended."

9. LEGISLATIVE BUSINESS :

1. The Punjab Motor Vehicles Taxation (Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Transport, Law and Legislative Affairs & Elections and Employment Generation Minister introduced the Punjab Motor Vehicles Taxation (Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 4 as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Transport, Law & Legislative Affairs and Elections and Employment Generation Minister "That the Punjab Motor Vehicles Taxation (Amendment) Bill, 2013 be passed", was put to the vote of the House and carried.

2. The Punjab State Cancer and Drug Addiction Treatment Infrastructure Fund Bill, 2013

The Health and Family Welfare Minister introduced the Punjab State Cancer and Drug Addiction Treatment Infrastructure Fund Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill the following members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names:

1.	Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party	04 Minutes
2.	Sardar Maheshinder Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	01 Minute
3.	Shri Ashwani Sharma, Bharatiya Janata Party	02 Minutes
4.	Sardar Balwinder Singh Bains, Independent	02 Minutes

The Health and Family Welfare Minister, by way of reply, to the discussion on the Bill spoke for 4 minutes.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-clause (2) of Clause 1, Clause 2, Clause 3 as amended, Clauses 4 to 13 as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-clause (1) of clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Health and Family Welfare Minister "that the Punjab State Cancer and Durg Addiction Treatement Infrastructure Fund Bill, 2013 be passed", was put to the vote of the House and was carried as amended.

3. The Punjab Municipal Corportation (Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Local Govt., Medical Eduction and Research Minister introduced the Punjab Municipal Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill Sardar Simarjit Singh Bains, Independent Member spoke for 1 minute.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 and 3 as there were no amendment, collectively, Sub-clause (1) of clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Local Govt., Medical Education and Research Minister "that the Punjab Municipal Corporation (Amendment) Bill, 2013 be passed", was put to the vote of the House and was carried.

4. The Punjab Community Participation in Municipalities Bill, 2013

The Local Govt., Medical Eduction and Research Minister introduced the Punjab Community Participation in Municipalities Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill the following members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names:

1.	Shri Som Parkash, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	01 Minute
2.	Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, Shiromani Akali Dal	02 Minutes
3.	Jathedar Tota Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	01 Minute

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill Sub-clauses (2) and (3) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 20, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Local Govt., Medical Education and Research Minister "that the Punjab Community Participation in Municipalities Bill, 2013 be passed", was put to the vote of the House and carried.

5. The Punjab Rent (Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Local Govt., Medical Eduction and Research Minister introduced the Punjab Rent (Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill the following members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names:

1. Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party — 01 Minute

2. Shri Parkash Chand Garg, Chief Parliamentary Secretary — 02 Minutes

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Clauses 2 to 27, as there was no amendment, collectively, Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Local Govt., Medical Education and Research Minister "That the Punjab Rent (Amendment) Bill, 2013 be passed", was put to the vote of the House and carried.

6. The Punjab State Election Commission (Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Transport, Law & Legislative Affairs & Elections and Employment Generation Minister introduced the Punjab State Election Commission (Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-clause (2) of Clause 1, Clause 2, Sub-clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Transport, Law & Legislative Affairs & Elections and Employment Generation Minister "that the Punjab State Election Commission (Amendment) Bill, 2013 be passed", was put to the vote of the House and carried.

7. The Punjab Excise (Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Deputy Chief Minister introduced the Punjab Excise (Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, Sardar Balwinder Singh Bains, Independent Member spoke for 3 minutes.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 10, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Deputy Chief Minister "That the Punjab Excise (Amendment) Bill, 2013 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

8. The Punjab Value Added Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Deputy Chief Minister introduced the Punjab Value Added Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 6, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Deputy Chief Minister "That the Punjab Value Added Tax (Amendment) Bill, 2013 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

9. The Punjab Ancient, Historical Monuments, Archaeological Sites and Cultural Heritage Maintenance Board Bill, 2013

The Jails, Tourism and Cultural Affairs & Printing and Stationery Minister introduced the Punjab Ancient, Historical Monuments, Archaeological Sites and Cultural Heritage Maintenance Board Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 12, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Jails, Tourism and Cultural Affairs & Printing and Stationery Minister "That the Punjab Ancient, Historical Mounments, Archaeological Sites and Cultural Heritage Maintenance Board Bill, 2013 be passed", was put to the vote of the House and carried.

10. The Punjab Contract Farming Bill, 2013

The Chief Minister introduced the Punjab Contract Farming Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party spoke for 2 minutes.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 33, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Chief Minister "That the Punjab Contract Farming Bill, 2013 be passed", was put to the vote of the House and carried.

11. The Punjab Co-operative Societies (Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Chief Minister introduced the Punjab Co-operative Societies (Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, Shiromani Akali Dal spoke for 2 minutes.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 19, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Chief Minister "That the Punjab Co-operative Societies (Amendment) Bill, 2013 be passed", was put to the vote of the House and carried.

12. The Prisons (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Jails, Tourism and Cultural Affairs and Printing & Stationery Minister introduced the Prisons (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party spoke for 2 minutes.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 and 3, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Jails, Tourism and Cultural Affairs and Printing and Stationery Minister, "That the Prisons (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2013 be passed", was put to the vote of the House and carried.

13. The Punjab Educational Institutions (Prohibition of Ragging) Bill, 2013

The Education, Higher Education and Languages Minister introduced the Punjab Educational Institutions (Prohibition of Ragging) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, the following members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names:—

1.	Justice Nirmal Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	03 Minutes
2.	Shri Som Parkash, Chief Parlimentaqry Secretary	01 Minute
3.	Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party	02 Minutes

The Education, Higher Education and Languages Minister, by way of reply, on the Bill spoke for 1 minute.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 9, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Education, Higher Education and Languages Minister "that the Punjab Educational Institutions (Prohibition of Ragging) Bill, 2013 be passed", was put to the vote of the House and carried.

14. The Punjab Laws (Special Provisions) Bill, 2013

The Deputy Chief Minister introduced the Punjab Laws (Special Provisions) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party spoke for 8 minutes.

The Dy. C.M. while replying to the discussion on the Bill, spoke for 1 minute.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-clauses (2) and (3) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 14, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Deputy Chief Minister "That the Punjab Laws (Special Provisions) Bill, 2013 be passed", was put to the vote of the House and carried.

15. The Punjab Lokpal (Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Chief Minister introduced the Punjab Lokpal (Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill Sub-clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 11, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Chief Minister "That the Punjab Lokpal (Amendment) Bill, 2013 be passed", was put to the vote of the House and carried.

16. The Punjab Lokpal (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Chief Minister introduced the Punjab Lokpal (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill Sub-clause (2) of Clause 1, Clause 2, Sub-clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Chief Minister "That the Punjab Lokpal (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013 be passed", was put to the vote of the House and carried.

The House, then adjourned *sine-die.*

SPECIAL BULLETIN NO. 2

DISCUSSION ON THE BUDGET ESTIMATES FOR THE YEAR 2013-2014

Discussion on the Budget Estimates for the year 2013-2014 took place on two days i.e. 22nd March, and 25th March, 2013 and it continued for 5 hours and 1 minute. The detail of time taken by various Parties is as under :—

Sr. No.	Name of the Party	No. of Members who took part in the discussion	Time Taken Hrs./Minutes
1	Shiromani Akali Dal	11	3 hours 32 minutes
2	Bharatiya Janata Party	4	1 hour 12 minutes
3	Independent	1	17 minutes

Note : Time taken by Shiromani Akali Dal also includes the time taken by the Finance Minister who spoke for 51 minutes.

APPENDIX—II

35. COMMITTEES

(I) ELECTED COMMITTEES :

(i) COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS FOR THE YEAR 2013-2014

(Nominated by the Speaker on the 24th May, 2013 in pursuance of the motion passed by the House on 25th March, 2013)

1. Shri Ashwani Sekhri
2. Sardar Ajit Inder Singh Mofar
3. Shri Arvind Khanna
4. Shri Ashwani Kumar Sharma
5. Smt. Charanjit Kaur Bajwa
6. Sardar Gurpartap Singh Wadala
7. Sardar Harpreet Singh
8. Smt. Karan Kaur Brar
9. Sardar Manjit Singh Mianwind
10. Sardar Manpreet Singh Ayali
11. Shri S.R. Kaler
12. Sardar Simarjit Singh Bains
13. Smt. Vaninder Kaur Loomba

Under Rule 184(I) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Speaker appointed **Shri Ashwani Sekhri** as Chairman of the Committee.

(ii) COMMITTEE ON ESTIMATES FOR THE YEAR 2013-2014

(Nominated by the Hon'ble Speaker on 24th May, 2013 in pursuance of the motion passed by the House on 25th March, 2013.)

1. Justice Nirmal Singh
2. Shri Amrinder Singh Raja Warring
3. Rana Gurmeet Singh Sodhi
4. Sardar Gurpartap Singh Wadala
5. Sardar Joginder Singh Jindu
6. Sardar Mahesh Inder Singh
7. Shri Manoranjan Kalia
8. Sardar Manpreet Singh Ayali
9. Sardar Pargat Singh
10. Sardar Sukhwinder Singh Sarkaria
11. Sardar Sukhjinder Singh
12. Jathedar Tota Singh
13. Sardar Tripat Rajinder Singh Bajwa

Under Rule 184(1) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Hon'ble Speaker appointed **Justice Nirmal Singh** as Chairman of the Committee.

(iii) COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC UNDERTAKINGS FOR THE YEAR 2013-2014

(Nominated by the Hon'ble Speaker on 24th May, 2013 in pursuance of the Motion passed by the House on 25th March, 2013.)

1. Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan
2. Sardar Balwinder Singh Bains
3. Shri Brahm Mohindra
4. Dr. Daljit Singh Cheema
5. Shri Deep Malhotra
6. Sardar Gurkirat Singh
7. Bibi Jagir Kaur
8. Shri Joginder Pal Jain
9. Sardar Parminder Singh Pinki
10. Shri Prem Mittal
11. Shri Rakesh Pandey
12. Sardar Randeep Singh
13. Shrimati Sukhjeet Kaur Sahi

Under Rule 184(1) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Hon'ble Speaker appointed **Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan** as Chairman of the Committee.

(iv) COMMITTEE ON THE WELFARE OF SCHEDULED CASTES, SCHEDULED TRIBES AND BACKWARD CLASSES FOR THE YEAR 2013-2014

(Nominated by the Speaker on 24th May, 2013 in pursuance of the motion passed by the House on 25th March, 2013.)

1. Sardar Harpreet Singh
2. Sardar Ajaib Singh Bhatti
3. Smt. Aruna Chaudhary
4. Sardar Baljit Singh Jalal Usma
5. Sardar Chatin Singh
6. Sardar Darshan Singh Shivalik
7. Sardar Hardial Singh Kamboj
8. Sardar Joginder Singh Jindu
9. Sardar Joginder Singh Panjgrain
10. Justice Nirmal Singh
11. Smt. Seema Kumari
12. Shri S.R. Kaler
13. Shri Tarlochan Singh

Under Rule 184(1) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Speaker appointed **Sardar Harpreet Singh,** as Chairman of the Committee.

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11. NOMINATED COMMITTEES

(i) BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

[Nominated on 27th February, 2013 under Rule 208 (1)]

1. Doctor Charnjit Singh Atwal, Speaker .. Ex-officio Chairman
2. Sardar Sukhbir Singh Badal, Deputy Chief Minister ; .. Member
3. Shri Chunni Lal Bhagat, Minister for Local Government ; .. Member
4. Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs ; .. Member
5. Sardar Parminder Singh Dhindsa, Minister for Finance ; and .. Member
6. Shri Sunil Jakhar, MLA and Leader of Opposition. .. Member

SPECIAL INVITEES

1. Shri Manoranjan Kalia, MLA ;
2. Smt. Rajinder Kaur Bhattal, MLA ; and
3. Sardar Laal Singh, MLA.

(ii) COMMITTEE OF PRIVILEGES FOR THE YEAR 2013-2014

(Nominated under Rule 233)

**1. Justice Nirmal Singh

2. Sardar Amrik Singh

3. Shri Bharat Bhushan Ashu

4. Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema

5. Shri Deep Malhotra

*6. Sardar Gurpartap Singh Wadala

7. Smt. Harchand Kaur

8. Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan

9. Sardar Mahesh Inder Singh

10. Shri Manoranjan Kalia

11. Shri Navtej Singh Cheema

12. Sardar Ramanjit Singh Sikki

Under Rule 184(1) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Speaker appointed **Justice Nirmal Singh** as Chairman of the Committee.

* On 23rd May, 2013 Sardar Gurpartap Singh Wadala, MLA resigned from the membership of the Committee and Hon'ble Speaker nominated Sardar Hari Singh, MLA as Chairman on 24th March, 2013 of the Committee in place of **Justice Nirmal Singh, MLA.

(iii) COMMITTEE OF GOVT. ASSURANCES FOR THE YEAR 2013-2014

(Nominated under Rule 238)

1.	Dr. Daljit Singh Cheema	.. Chairman
2.	Sardar Ajaib Singh Bhatti	.. Member
3.	Capt. Amarinder Singh	.. Member
4.	Shri Ashwani Sekhri	.. Member
5.	Sardar Chatin Singh	.. Member
6.	Sardar Darshan Singh Kotfatta	.. Member
7.	Sardar Gurcharan Singh Raikot	.. Member
8.	Sardar Hari Singh	.. Member
9.	Sardar Joginder Singh Panjgrain	.. Member
10.	Sardar Mahesh Inder Singh	.. Member
11.	Sardar Manjit Singh Mianwind	.. Member
12.	Sardar Pargat Singh	.. Member
13.	Sardar Surinder Singh Bhulewal Rathan	.. Menber

Under Rule 184(I) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Speaker appointed **Dr. Daljit Singh Cheema**, as Chairman of the Committee.

(iv) COMMITTEE ON SUBORDINATE LEGISLATION FOR THE YEAR 2013-2014

(Nominated under Rule 240)

1.	Sardar Gurtej Singh Ghuriana	.. Chairman
2.	Shri Ashwani Kumar Sharma	.. Member
3.	Sardar Balbir Singh Sidhu	.. Member
4.	Sardar Darshan Singh Kotfatta	.. Member
5.	Sardar Gurpartap Singh Wadala	.. Member
6.	Smt. Harpreet Kaur Mukhmailpura	.. Member
7.	Sardar Jagmohan Singh Kang	.. Member
8.	Sardar Jeet Mohinder Singh Sidhu	.. Member
9.	Sardar Kuljit Singh Nagra	.. Member
10.	Sardar Laal Singh	.. Member
11.	Sardar Ranjit Singh Dhillon	.. Member
12.	Smt. Vaninder Kaur Loomba	.. Member
13.	Advocate General, Punjab	.. Member

Under Rule 184(I) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Speaker appointed **Sardar Gurtej Singh Ghuriana** as Chairman of the Committee.

(v) LIBRARY COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR 2013-2014

(Nominated under Rule 248)

1.	Sardar Manjit Singh Mianwind	.. Chairman
2.	Sardar Chatin Singh	.. Member
3.	Sardar Darshan Singh Kotfatta	.. Member
4.	Smt. Guriqbal Kaur	.. Member
5.	Rana Gurjit Singh	.. Member
6.	Shri Mohammed Sadique	.. Member
7.	Sardar Sangat Singh Giljian	.. Member
8.	Smt. Seema Kumari	.. Member
9.	Smt. Sukhjit Kaur Sahi	.. Member

Under Rule 184(I) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), Hon'ble Speaker appointed **Sardar Manjit Singh Mianwind** as Chairman of the Committee.

(vi) HOUSE COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR 2013-2014

(Nominated under Rule 249)

1.	Shri Dinesh Singh, Deputy Speaker	Ex-Officio Chairman
2.	Sardar Ajit Inder Singh Mofar	.. Member
3.	Sardar Chatin Singh	.. Member
4.	Sardar Hari Singh	.. Member
5.	Smt. Karan Kaur Brar	.. Member
6.	Sardar Navtej Singh Cheema	.. Member
7.	Shri O.P. Soni	.. Member
8.	Sardar Ranjit Singh Dhillon	.. Member
9.	Shri S.R. Kaler	.. Member

(vii) COMMITTEE ON LOCAL BODIES AND PANCHAYATI RAJ INSTITUTIONS FOR THE YEAR 2013-2014

[Nominated under Rule 251-1(2)]

1.	Shri Prem Mittal	.. Chairman
2.	Shri Amrinder Singh Raja Warring	.. Member
3.	Sardar Balwinder Singh Bains	.. Member
4.	Shri Bharat Bhushan Ashu	.. Member
5.	Smt. Charanjit Kaur Bajwa	.. Member
6.	Shri Deep Malhotra	.. Member
7.	Sardar Harpreet Singh	.. Member
8.	Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan	.. Member
9.	Sardar Joginder Singh Jindu	.. Member
10.	Smt. Karan Kaur Brar	.. Member
11.	Sardar Pargat Singh	.. Member
12.	Doctor Raj Kumar Verka	.. Member
13.	Sardar Ranjit Singh Dhillon	.. Member

Under Rule 184(I) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), Hon'ble Speaker appointed **Shri Prem Mittal** as Chairman of the Committee.

(viii) COMMITTEE ON QUESTIONS AND REFERENCES FOR THE YEAR 2013-2014

(Nominated under Rule 251-G)

1.	Shri Manoranjan Kalia	.. Chairman
2.	Rana Gurmeet Singh Sodhi	.. Member
3.	Smt. Harchand Kaur	.. Member
4.	Sardar Joginder Singh Jindu	.. Member
5.	Sardar Navtej Singh Cheema	.. Member
6.	Sardar Joginder Singh Panjgrain	.. Member
7.	Smt. Rajwinder Kaur	.. Member
8.	Sardar Sadhu Singh Dharamsot	.. Member
9.	Sardar Surinder Singh Bhulewal Rathan	.. Member

Under Rule 184(I) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Speaker appointed **Shri Manoranjan Kalia** as Chairman of the Committee.

(ix) COMMITTEE ON PETITIONS FOR THE YEAR 2013-2014

(Nominated under Rule 250)

1.	Sardar Darshan Singh Shivalik	.. Chairman
2.	Sardar Gurtej Singh Ghuriana	.. Member
3.	Smt. Harchand Kaur	.. Member
4.	Sardar Ranjit Singh Dhillon	.. Member
5.	Sardar Kuljit Singh Nagra	.. Member
6.	Sardar Manpreet Singh Ayali	.. Member
7.	Smt. Rajinder Kaur Bhattal	.. Member
8.	Smt. Rajwinder Kaur	.. Member
9.	Rana Gurmeet Singh Sodhi	.. Member
10.	Sardar Ranjit Singh Dhillon	.. Member
11.	Smt. Seema Kumari	.. Member
12.	Sardar Simarjit Singh Bains	.. Member
13.	Smt. Sukhjit Kaur	.. Member

Under Rule 184(I) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Speaker appointed **Sardar Darshan Singh Shivalik** as Chairman of the Committee.

(x) COMMITTEE ON PAPERS LAID/TO BE LAID ON THE TABLE FOR THE YEAR 2013-2014

(Nominated under Rule 251-c)

1.	Sardar Sadhu Singh Dharamsot	.. Chairman
2.	Sardar Amrik Singh	.. Member
3.	Sardar Baljit Singh Jalal Usma	.. Member
4.	Sardar Gurkirat Singh	.. Member
5.	Smt. Harpreet Kaur Mukhmailpura	.. Member
6.	Shri Joginder Pal Jain	.. Member
7.	Shri O.P. Soni	.. Member
8.	Sardar Parminder Singh Pinki	.. Member
9.	Shri Rajnish Kumar	.. Member
10.	Smt. Rajwinder Kaur	.. Member

Under Rule 184(l) read with Rule 207 of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly), the Speaker appointed **Sardar Sadhu Singh Dharamsot** as Chairman of the Committee.

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RESUME

OF

BUSINESS TRANSACTED

BY THE

14th PUNJAB VIDHAN SABHA

DURING

ITS FIFTH (SPECIAL) SESSION, 2013

WITH

APPENDICES CONTAINING BULLETIN

AND

COMMITTEE OF THE PUNJAB VIDHAN SABHA



PUNJAB VIDHAN SABHA SECRETARIAT, CHANDIGARH.

22nd AUGUST, 2013

PREFACE

The following pages contain Resume of Business transacted by the Fourteenth Punjab Vidhan Sabha during its Fifth Special Session, 2013 held on 3rd May 2013 at 10.00 AM together with the Bulletin issued after the adjournment of Sitting of the Sabha.

2. It is hoped that the publication would be found useful by the Members and others who may wish to know in detail what work was done on that day by the Vidhan Sabha in the above mentioned Session.

3. Any suggestion for further improvement of this publication in future would be very gratefully welcomed.

Chandigarh :
The 22nd August, 2013

VED PARKASH
SECRETARY

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1. SUMMONING, SITTING AND PROROGATION OF THE VIDHAN SABHA

The Fourteenth Punjab Vidhan Sabha was summoned by an order of the Governor, dated the 27th April, 2013 to meet for its Fifth Special Session in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha Hall, Vidhan Bhawan, Chandigarh at 10.00 A.M. on Friday, the 3rd May, 2013 and it adjourned *sine-die* on the same day i.e. the 3rd May, 2013. It was later prorogued by an order of the Governor dated the 17th May, 2013.

During the Session, the Sabha held one Sitting.

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2. PROGRAMME OBSERVED

Date	Programme observed
Friday, the 3rd May, 2013 (10.00 A.M to 10.37 A.M)	1. Obituary references to the deaths of:- i) Sardar Surjit Singh Atwal, Ex-Member Rajya Sabha and Ex-MLA; ii) Shri Romesh Chander Dogra, Ex-Minister, Punjab; iii) Samshad Begum, Famous Singer; and iv) Sardar Sarabjit Singh, Indian Death Row Prisoner at Pakistan 2. Motion regarding suspension of certain Rules:- "This House resolves that the current Session of the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) being in the nature of Special Session to transact certain urgent and important Government Business, only Government Business be transacted during this Session and no other Business whatsoever including Questions, Calling Attention Notices and any other Business to be initiated by a Private

Date	Programme observed
	Member be brought before or transacted in the House during the Session and all relevant rules on the subject in the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) do hereby stand suspended to that extent." (Carried)
	3. Motion under Rule 16 regarding adjournment of the House sine-die. (Carried)
	4. Official Resolution regarding treating Sardar Sarabjit Singh to be a martyr of the country. (Carried unanimously)

3. OBITUARY REFERENCES

References to the deaths of the following were made by the Hon'ble Speaker on the 3rd May, 2013 :-

1. Sardar Surjit Singh Atwal, Ex-Member Rajya Sabha and Ex-MLA ;
2. Shri Romesh Chander Dogra, Ex-Minister, Punjab ;
3. Shamshad Begum, Famous Singer ; and
4. Sardar Sarabjit Singh, Indian Death Row Prisoner at Pakistan.

All the Members stood in silence for two minutes as a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased.

4. RESOLUTION

Official

The following Resolution was moved on the 3rd May, 2013 by the Hon'ble Chief Minister and seconded by the Leader of Opposition :-

"Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) in

its Special Session today expresses deep grief over the merciless killing of Sardar Sarabjit Singh in the prison in Pakistan. This House pays rich tribute to Sardar Sarabjit Singh, treating him to be a martyr of the country.

This House strongly asks the Central Government to build up international pressure to get the causes of the martyrdom of Sardar Sarabjit Singh investigated by an impartial International Agency.

This House also asks the Central Government to initiate strong and effective diplomatic efforts to ensure the safety of prisoners belonging to India and of Indian origin, who are lodged in the prisons of Pakistan or other countries."

The Motion was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimoulsy.

5. OTHER MOTIONS

Sr. No.	Minister/ Member moving	Moved on	Discussed on	Subject	Remarks/ Decision
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	3-5-2013	3-5-2013	Motion regarding suspension of certain rules of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly).	Carried
2.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	3-5-2013	3-5-2013	Motion under Rule 16 regarding Adjournment of the House sine-die.	Carried

6. APPENDIX-I

BULLETIN

Friday, the 3rd May, 2013

(From 10.00 A.M. to 10.37 A.M.)

1. OBITUARY REFERENCES

The Hon'ble Speaker made references to the passing away of the following:-

1. Sardar Surjit Singh Atwal, Ex-Member Rajya Sabha and Ex-MLA;
2. Shri Romesh Chander Dogra, Ex-Minister, Punjab;
3. Shamshad Begum, Famous Singer; and
4. Sardar Sarabjit Singh, Indian Death Row Prisoner at Pakistan.

The Hon'ble Speaker paid rich tributes to the aforesaid great personalities and informed the House that condolence messages would be sent to the bereaved families.

The House stood in silence for two minutes as a mark of respect to the departed souls.

The House, then adjourned without transacting any other Business till 10.30 A.M.

2. MOTION REGARDING SUSPENSION OF CERTAIN RULES OF THE RULES OF PROCEDURE AND CONDUCT OF BUSINESS IN THE PUNJAB VIDHAN SABHA (PUNJAB LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY)

The Parlimentary Affairs Minister moved the following motion in the House which was carried:-

"This House resolves that the current Session of the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) being in the nature of Special Session to transact certain urgent and important Government Business, only Government Business be transcated during this Session and no other Business whatsoever including Questions, Calling Attention Notices and any other Business to be initiated by a Private Member be brought before or transacted in the House during the Session and all relevant Rules on the subject in the Rules of Procedure and

Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) do hereby stand suspended to that extent."

3. MOTION UNDER RULE 16

The following motion moved by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister was put to the vote of the House and carried:-

"That the Vidhan Sabha (Assembly) at its rising this day shall stand adjourned sine die."

4. OFFICIAL RESOLUTION

The following official Resolution moved by the Hon'ble Chief Minister and seconded by the Leader of the Opposition was put to the vote of the House and carried unanmously:-

"Today's Special Session of the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) expresses its deep grief over the merciless killing of Sardar Sarabjit Singh in the prison in Pakistan. This House pays rich tributes to Sardar Sarabjit Singh, treating him to be a martyr of the country.

This House strongly asks the Central Government to build up international pressure to get the causes of the martyrdom of Sardar Sarabjit Singh investigated by an impartial International Agency.

This House also asks the Central Government to initiate strong and effective diplomatic efforts to ensure the safety of prisoners belonging to India and of Indian origin, who are lodged in the prisons of Pakistan or other countries."

While moving the Resolution, he spoke for three minutes.

Thereafter, the House adjourned sine-die.

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7. APPENDIX-II

COMMITTEE
(Nominated by the Speaker)

BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE
(Nominated on 2nd May, 2013 under Rule 208(I))

1.	Doctor Charnjit Singh Atwal, Speaker......	Ex-Officio Chairman
2.	Sardar Sukhbir Singh Badal, Deputy Chief Minister	Member
3.	Shri Chuni Lal Bhagat, Minister for Local Government;	Member
4.	Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs;	Member
5.	Sardar Parminder Singh Dhindsa, Minister for Finance; and	Member
6.	Shri Sunil Jakhar, MLA & Leader of Opposition.	Member

SPECIAL INVITEES

1. Shri Manoranjan Kalia, MLA;
2. Smt. Rajinder Kaur Bhattal, MLA; and
3. Rana Gurmeet Singh Sodhi, MLA.

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BY THE

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DURING

ITS SIXTH SESSION, 2013

WITH

APPENDICES CONTAINING DAILY BULLETINS

AND

COMMITTEE OF THE VIDHAN SABHA



PUNJAB VIDHAN SABHA SECRETARIAT, CHANDIGARH.

June, 2014

PREFACE

The following pages contain Resume of Business transacted by the Fourteenth Punjab Vidhan Sabha during its Sixth Session, 2013 held from 28th October 2013 to 1st November, 2013 together with the Bulletins issued daily after the adjournment of each Sitting of the Sabha.

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Chandigarh :
The 27th June, 2014

VED PARKASH
SECRETARY

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1. SUMMONING, SITTINGS AND PROROGATION OF THE VIDHAN SABHA

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The Fourteenth Punjab Vidhan Sabha was summoned by an Order of the Governor, dated the 14th October, 2013, to meet for its Sixth Session in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha Hall, Vidhan Bhavan, Chandigarh at 2.00 P.M. on the 28th October, 2013 and it continued to meet till the 1st November, 2013 when it adjourned *sine-die*. It was later prorogued by an Order of the Governor dated the 21st November, 2013.

During the Session, the Sabha held five sittings.

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2. PROGRAMME OBSERVED

Date	Programme observed
Monday, the 28th October, 2013 (2.00P.M. to 2.25.P.M.)	1. Obituary references to the deaths of:-
	1. Smt. Gurbinder Kaur Brar, Ex-MP and Ex-Minister of State, Punjab;
	2. Sardar Charanjit Singh Walia, Ex-MP and Famous Employees Leader;
	3. Smt. Balwant Kaur, Ex-MLC;
	4. Smt. Sarla Devi, Ex-MLA;
	5. Shri Satya Pal Dang, Ex-MLA;
	6. Sardar Kirpal Singh Dhillon, Ex-MLA;
	7. Comrade Kulwant Singh, Ex-MLA;
	8. Shri Harish Bedi, Ex- MLA;
	9. Sardar Hari Singh Saini, Ex-MLA;
	10. Comrade Jagjit Singh Lyallpuri, Eminent Communist Leader;
	11. Sardar Ram Singh, Freedom Fighter;

Date	Programme observed
	12. Sardar Gurbaksh Singh Rahi, Freedom Fighter;
	13. Sardar Ram Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	14. Sardar Gurdas Singh Bedi, Freedom Fighter;
	15. Sardar Kartar Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	16. Sardar Kabal Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	17. Shri Parkash Chand Walla, Freedom Fighter;
	18. Sardar Bhagwant Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	19. Sardar Mehar Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	20. Shri Tilak Raj Suri, Freedom Fighter;
	21. Sardar Gurmukh Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	22. Sardar Gurdev Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	23. Shri Krishan Chander , Freedom Fighter;
	24. Thakur Punjab Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	25. Sardar Vir Singh Haal, Freedom Fighter;
	26. Sardar Shingara Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	27. Sardar Gian Singh Katal, Freedom Fighter;

Date	Programme observed
	28. Shri Inder Sen Chawla, Freedom Fighter;
	29. Sardar Dan Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	30. Captain Ranjit Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	31. Sardar Gurdial Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	32. Sardar Dyal Singh, Freedom Fighter;
	33. Shri Jagdish Tangri, Great Personality;
	34. Shri Manna Dey, Famous Singer;
	35. Sardar Mohinder Singh Pabat, Famous Taksali Akali Leader;
	36. Shri Pran, Famous Actor;
	37. Smt. Rajinder Kaur, Famous Punjabi Writer;
	38. Sardar Santokh Singh Tapasvi, Famous Journalist;
	39. Sardar Gurdev Singh Rai, Famous Punjabi Writer;
	40. Shri Jasdeep Malhotra, Journalist of Hindustan Times;
	41. Smt. Nirmala Malhotra, mother of Shri Deep Malhotra, MLA;
	42. Shri Gurcharanjit Singh Grewal, father of Sardar Manpreet Singh Ayali, MLA; and
	43. Padam Shri Rana Moti Singh.
Tuesday, the 29th October, 2013 (10.00 A.M. to 12.44 P.M.)	1. Announcements made by the Speaker/ Secretary regarding Panel of Chairmen and Bills.

Date	Programme observed
	2. Presentation and Adoption of the First Report of the Business Advisory Committee.
	3. Presentation of Interim Report of the Committee of Privileges regarding privilege issue raised by Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs, Punjab against Shri Sunil Jakhar, MLA & Leader of Opposition.
	4. Legislative Business
	i) The Pepsu Tenancy and Agricultural Lands (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	ii) The Punjab Security of Land Tenures (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	iii) The Punjab Agricultural Produce Markets (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	iv) The Punjab Privately Managed Recognised Schools Employees (Security of Service) Amendment Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	v) The Punjab School Education Board (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	vi) The Punjab Prohibition of Cow Slaughter (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)

Date	Programme observed
Wednesday, the 30th October, 2013 (10.00 A.M. to 2.37 P.M.)	**1. Legislative Business** i) The Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed) ii) The Punjab Co-operative Societies (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed) iii) The Punjab Municipal Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed) iv) The Punjab Water Supply and Sewerage Board (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed) v) The Punjab Municipal Corporation (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed) vi) The Payment of Wages (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed) **2. Official Resolutions** i) Regarding acute shortage of sand and gravel in the State resulting in spiralling high cost of construction material. (Moved) ii) Regarding rates of eatables having gone beyond the reach of common man and rising prices overburdening the general public. (Moved)

Date	Programme observed
Thursday, the 31st October, 2013 (10.00 A.M. to 3.59 P.M.)	**Official Resolutions** i) Regarding acute shortage of sand and gravel in the State resulting in spiralling high cost of construction material. (Carried) ii) Regarding problem of water logging in the State. (Carried unanimously) iii) Regarding smuggling of drugs / intoxicants through border. (Moved)
Friday, the 1st November, 2013 (10.00 A.M. to 7.17 P.M.)	1. **Non-Official Resolution** "This House strongly recommends to the State Government to build pressure on the Central Government to raise voice at an appropriate level against the proposed legislation brought in by the Quebec Government in Canada pertaining to imposition of ban on wearing of religious symbols by the people of various religions employed in Government jobs in Quebec Province." (Carried) 2. Presentation of Report of the General Purposes Committee for the year 2013-14. (Carried unanimously) 3. Motion under Rule 16 regarding adjournment of the House sine-die. (Carried)

Date	Programme observed
	4. Legislative Business
	i) The Punjab Agricultural Credit Operations and Miscellaneous Provisions (Banks) (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	ii) The Punjab Laws (Special Provisions) Amendment Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	iii) The Punjab Land Revenue (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	iv) The Punjab Mechanical Vehicles (Bridges and Roads Tolls) (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	v) The Punjab Value Added Tax (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	vi) The Punjab Regional and Town Planning and Development (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	vii) The East Punjab War Awards (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)

Date	Programme observed
	viii) The Punjab Infrastructure (Development and Regulation) Amendment Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	ix) The Indian Stamp (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	x) The Punjab Horse Race (Regulation and Management) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	xi) The Punjab Ancient, Historical Monuments, Archaeological Sites and Cultural Heritage Maintenance Board (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	xii) The Punjab Police (Amendment) Bill, 2013. (Passed)
	xiii) The Punjab State Cancer and Drug Addiction Treatment Infrastructure Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2013.
	5. Official Resolutions
	i) Regarding unprecedented increase in rates of eatables. (Carried)

Date	Programme observed
	ii) Regarding smuggling of drugs / intoxicants through border.
	(Carried)

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3. PANEL OF CHAIRMEN

On the 21st October, 2013, the Speaker nominated the following Members to serve on the Panel of Chairmen under Rule 13(1) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) and announcement was made by the Hon'ble Speaker in the House on the 29th October, 2013:-

1. Sardar Gurtej Singh Ghuriana,
2. Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan,
3. Sardar Laal Singh; and
4. Shri Manoranjan Kalia.

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24. Thakur Punjab Singh, Freedom Fighter;

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42. Shri Gurcharanjit Singh Grewal, father of Sardar Manpreet Singh Ayali, MLA; and

43. Padam Shri Rana Moti Singh.

All the Members stood in silence for two minutes as a mark of respect to the memory of the deceased.

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5. LEGISLATION

The Sabha transacted Legislative business on 29-10-2013, 30-10-2013 and 1-11-2013.

I. Official Bills

The Sabha passed 25 Bills in all (including one Principal Bill and 24 Amending Bills). (Please see table)

II. Non-Official Bills

NIL

TABLE

Sr. No.	Title of the Bill	Minister Introducing	Date of Intro-duction	Date of Consi-deration	Number of Speeches			Time taken in Minutes			Amendments Proposed			Amendments not moved/ withdrawn/ held out of order/ leave refused			Amendments Carried			Total time taken in minutes for the disposal of the Bill	Date of Passing	Remarks
					SAD/BJP/(Treasury)	*INC*	*Independent*	*SAD/BJP/(Treasury)*	*INC*	*Independent*	*SAD/BJP/(Treasury)*	*INC*	*Independent*	*SAD/BJP/(Treasury)*	*INC*	*Independent*	*SAD/BJP/(Treasury)*	*INC*	*Independent*			
1.	The Pepsu Tenancy and Agricultural Lands(Amendment) Bill, 2013	Revenue & Rehabilitation Minister	29.10.13	29.10.13	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	29.10.13	
2.	The Punjab Security of Land Tenure (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Revenue & Rehabilitation Minister	29.10.13	29.10.13	3	-	-	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8	29.10.13	
3.	The Punjab Agricultural Produce Markets (Amend-ment) Bill, 2013	Chief Minister	29.10.13	29.10.13	1	1	-	3	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	29.10.13	

4.	The Punjab Privately Managed Recognised Schools Employees (Security of Service) Amendment Bill, 2013	Education Minister	29.10.2013	29.10.2013	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	29.10.2013	
5.	The Punjab School Education Board (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Education Minister	29.10.2013	29.10.2013	1	1	-	4	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	29.10.2013	
6.	The Punjab Prohibition of Cow Slaughter (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Animal Husbandry, Fisheries & Dairy Development Minister	29.10.2013	29.10.2013	5	3	-	8½	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10½	29.10.2013	
7.	The Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Local Government Minister	30.10.2013	30.10.2013	5	5	-	48	37	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1 hr 25 mnts	30.10.2013	
8.	The Punjab Co-operative Societies (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013	Chief Minister	30.10.2013	30.10.2013	1	2	-	4	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	30.10.2013	
9.	The Punjab Municipal Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Local Government Minister	30.10.2013	30.10.2013	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	30.10.2013	

10	The Punjab Water Supply and Sewerage Board. (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Local Government Minister	30.10.2013	30.10.2013	2	3	-	5	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	30.10.2013	
11.	The Punjab Municipal Corporation (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013	Local Government Minister	30.10.2013	30.10.2013	2	2	-	9	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	16	30.10.2013	
12.	The Payment of Wages (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2013	Labour Minister	30.10.2013	30.10.2013	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	30.10.2013	
13.	The Punjab Agricultural Credit Operations and Miscellaneous Provisions (Banks) (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Chief Minister	1.11.2013	1.11.2013	3	1	-	6	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	1.11.2013	
14.	The Punjab Laws (Special Provisions) Amendment Bill, 2013	Deputy Chief Minister	1.11.2013	1.11.2013	3	5	-	23	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	56	1.11.2013	
15.	The Punjab Land Revenue (Amendment Bill, 2013	Revenue & Rehabilitation Minister	1.11.2013	1.11.2013	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1.11.2013	

16	The Punjab Mechanical Vehicles (Bridges and Roads Tolls) (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Public Works Minister	1.11.2013	1.11.2013	1	1	-	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1.11.2013	
17.	The Punjab Value Added Tax (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013	Deputy Chief Minister	1.11.2013	1.11.2013	3	2	-	21	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37	1.11.2013	
18.	The Punjab Regional and Town Planning and Development (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Deputy Chief Minister	1.11.2013	1.11.2013	2	-	-	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	1.11.2013	
19.	The East Punjab War Awards (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Parliamentary Affairs Minister	1.11.2013	1.11.2013	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1.11.2013	
20.	The Punjab Infrastructure (Development and Regulation) Amendment Bill, 2013	Finance Minister	1.11.2013	1.11.2013	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1.11.2013	
21.	The Indian Stamp (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2013	Revenue & Rehabilitation Minister	1.11.2013	1.11.2013	2	1	-	9	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	1.11.2013	

22.	The Punjab Horse Race (Regulation and Management) Bill, 2013	Deputy Chief Minister	1.11.2013	1.11.2013	2	1	-	6	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	1.11.2013	
23.	The Punjab Ancient, Historical Monuments, Archaeological Sites and Cultural Heritage Maintenance Board (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Cultural Affairs and Tourism Minister	1.11.2013	1.11.2013	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1.11.2013	
24.	The Punjab Police (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Deputy Chief Minister	1.11.2013	1.11.2013	2	3	-	6	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	1.11.2013	
25.	The Punjab State Cancer and Drug Addiction Treatment Insfrastructure Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2013	Health & Family Welfare Minister	1.11.2013	1.11.2013	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1.11.2013	

6. SYNOPSIS OF BILLS PASSED BY THE VIDHAN SABHA

1. The Pepsu Tenancy and Agricultural Lands (Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 29th October, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to remove difficulties faced by NRIs in ejecting tenants from their lands and to provide one time concession available earlier to the properties acquired at least five years prior to the date of filing an ejectment application.

2. The Punjab Security of Land Tenures (Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 29th October, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to remove conditions such as accommodating tenant before disposing on surplus area or otherwise on other land by the State Government and also to provide one time concession available earlier for all ancestral property of NRIs acquired by them at least five years prior to the date of filing an ejectment application.

3. The Punjab Agricultural Produce Markets (Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 29th October, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to extend the period of supersession of nominated Market Committees for another year so that the administrators may be able to perform their duties till the reconstitution of the Market Committees i.e. from 21.11.2013 to 20.11.2014.

4. The Punjab Privately Managed Recognised Schools Employees (Security of Service) Amendment Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed as amended on the 29th October, 2013)

This Bill replaces the Punjab Privately Managed Recognised Schools Employees (Security of Service) Amendment Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 4 of 2013), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so as to extend the jurisdiction of the existing Educational Tribunal in order to hear cases of disputes between the

Managing Committees of Educational Institutions and their employees.

5. The Punjab School Education Board (Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 29th October, 2013)

This Bill replaces the Punjab School Education Board (Amendment) Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 7 of 2013), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so as to prohibit the illegal activities of issuing academic certificate by unauthorised private organizations / institutions and to clarify that no other authority except the Punjab School Education Board or the authority authorized by the Government of India is competent to do so.

6. The Punjab Prohibition of Cow Slaughter (Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 29th October, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, in order to settle any dispute as to whether the particular meat or body part is that of cow or not, the result of Regional Diseases Diagnostic Laboratory (RDDL), Jalandhar will be treated as final and binding for all intents and purposes of Act.

7. The Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 30th October, 2013)

This Bill replaces the Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 10 of 2013), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so that rates of property tax be reduced and simplify the procedure for calculating the same.

8. The Punjab Municipal Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 30th October, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to reorganise the Punjab Water Supply and Sewerage Board in order to reform the Water Supply and Sewerage System in urban Local Bodies.

9. The Punjab Water Supply and Sewerage Board (Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 30th October, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to reorganise the Punjab Water Supply and Sewerage Board in order to reform the Water Supply and Sewerage System in urban Local Bodies and the post of Managing Director be renamed as Chief Executive Officer and also amend some terms and conditions of officers and employees.

10. The Punjab Municipal Corporation (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 30th October, 2013)

This Bill replaces the Punjab Municipal Corporation (Second Amendment) Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 11 of 2013), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so that rates of property tax be reduced and also simplifying the procedure for calculating the same.

11. The Payment of Wages (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 30th October, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, in order to make it mandatory for Industrial Establishments to make payment of wages to the workers through cheques or by transferring money to their bank Accounts.

12. The Punjab Co-operative Societies (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 30th October, 2013)

This Bill replaces the Punjab Co-operative Societies (Second Amendment) Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 8 of 2013), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so as to enable Government to appoint professionals as Managing Directors of Central Co-operative Banks even if the Government does not have the share capital of Rs.20 lakhs or more but the Bank is receiving finance from Government, Government of India, NABARD or RBI.

13. The Punjab Agricultural Credit Operations and Miscellaneous Provisions (Banks) (Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 1st November, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to provide a simplified system of registration of mortgage deed for loans availed for agriculture purposes and also to provide for deemed registration for creation of charge on the land of the farmers for agricultural loans, as a result the farmers would not be required to go to the office of Registrar or Sub-Registrar. Further, the cooperative institutions extending financial assistance to its members are also being covered under the simplified procedure through this amendment.

14. The Punjab Laws (Special Provisions) Amendment Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 1st November, 2013)

This Bill replaces the Punjab Laws (Special Provisions) Amendment Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 9 of 2013), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so as to suspend all legal proceedings for a period of one year against unauthorized colonies against which FIRs are lodged or case is pending in any Court of Law.

15. The Punjab Land Revenue (Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 1st November, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to include demarcation of Khasra numbers owned by the land owners as charged services and therefore empowering the Financial Commissioner Revenue to fix fee for this service.

16. The Punjab Mechanical Vehicles (Bridges and Roads Tolls) (Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 1st November, 2013)

This Bill replaces the Punjab Mechanical Vehicles (Bridges and Roads Tolls) (Amendment) Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 6 of 2013), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so as to ensure that the best industry practices being followed by Ministry of Road Transport and Highways, Government of India and in order to rationalize the prevailing toll charges for ensuring effective and

smooth implementation for development of road projects on BOT basis.

17. The Punjab Value Added Tax (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013 (Introduced and passed on the 1st November, 2013)

This Bill seeks to make the following amendments in the Principal Act, so as to -

i) appoint the members on the basis of judgment of Hon'ble Punjab and Haryana High Court;

ii) combat evasion of tax by unscrupulous dealers and collect the tax in advance when a dealer brings any goods into the State presuming that he does so for the purpose of sale or use in manufacture of goods for sale;

iii) introduce an optional scheme under which Manufacturer / First Importer will pay the tax on Maximum Retail Price (MRP) on notified goods and at the subsequent stages, such goods would be tax free;

iv) grant incentives to the new industries in order to give momentum to the Industrial Development in the State;

v) curb in genuine claims of Input Tax Credit on falsely shown stock of goods resulting in wrong refunds, and to allow Input Tax Credit commensurate with the amount of actual tax paid in the treasury on the item involved and further, in order to give the full credit, without any reversals, of tax collected in advance;

vi) safeguard the Revenue on account of cases becoming time-barred and to undo the effect of judgment dated 1st September, 2009 of the Hon'ble High Court in case of A.B. Sugars Limited;

vii) create a dedicated Corpus named "The Punjab VAT Refund Fund" in order to resolve the problem of refunds being faced by industrialists / traders;

viii) curb evasion on account of goods shown as under-priced;

ix) curb evasion of tax happening due to non-reporting and to prevent the evasion of tax by the unscrupulous traders in connivance with transporters / owners of goods vehicles;

x) deter a person from applying a wrong refund under the Star Rating / Fast Track Scheme of refunds by prescribing penalties upto five times of a wrong refund, if a wrong refund is claimed under the aforesaid scheme; and

xi) empower the Hon'ble Tribunal to review cases regarding extending limitation period so as to safeguard the Revenue.

18. The Punjab Regional and Town Planning and Development (Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 1st November, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to bring uniformity in the forfeiture of the amount out of the total amount of consideration money, interest and other dues payable, in case the transferee fails to pay the amount due together with the penalty and to reduce the period of five years for revising Regional Plan to 3 years.

19. The East Punjab War Awards (Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 1st November, 2013)

This Bill replaces the East Punjab War Awards (Amendment) Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 3 of 2013), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so as to enhance the rate of War Jagir from Rs. 5000/- to Rs. 10,000/- per annum up to three children and Rs. 100/- annum for every additional child due to increase in the daily expenditure and life style.

20. The Punjab Infrastructure (Development and Regulation) Amendment Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 1st November, 2013)

This Bill replaces the Punjab Infrastructure (Development and Regulation) Amendment Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 1

of 2013), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so as to induct Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister, Punjab as Co-Chairman of the Board of PIDB to enable his valuable contribution in the decision making processes relating to the functioning of PIDB.

21. The Indian Stamp (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 1st November, 2013)

This Bill replaces the Indian Stamp (Punjab Amendment) Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 5 of 2013), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so as to make a provision of charging stamp duty @ 2% for all power of attorneys where the authority to sell any immovable property is given. This duty is not levied, if a power of attorney is given to a family member of the executants and family includes spouse, child, sibling, parents, grandparent or grandchild.

22. The Punjab Horse Race (Regulation and Management) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 1st November, 2013)

This Bill seeks to provide for setting up, management and operation of race courses, betting activities and intermediaries involved and also for licensing, regulation, control and management of horse races on race courses, maintaining and keeping of horses at race courses, betting activities at race courses and off courses or otherwise, exhibition of horses and other processes of horse race and all matters connected therewith and incidental thereto.

23. The Punjab Ancient, Historical Monuments, Archaeological Sites and Cultural Heritage Maintenance Board (Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 1st November, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, so as to provide dedicated fund for conservation and preservation of the protected and unprotected built heritage by levying 1% Cultural Cess on all building works costing more than Rs. 15 crores instead of Rs. 50 crores, grant/amount received as contributions to the fund from State PSUs on

account of percentage share of their revenues or out of their profits and 1% Cultural Cess levied on works executed by GMADA, Punjab Water Supply and Sewerage Board, Irrigation Department.

24. The Punjab Police (Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 1st November, 2013)

This Bill replaces the Punjab Police (Amendment) Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 2 of 2013), which was promulgated to amend the Principal Act, so as to make provision that maximum tenure of the Police Officers against one post can be extended upto five years in Public interest which was earlier of three years.

25. The Punjab State Cancer and Drug Addiction Treatment Infrastructure Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2013

(Introduced and passed on the 1st November, 2013)

This Bill seeks to amend the Principal Act, in order to increase the contribution to Punjab State Cancer and Drug Addiction Treatment Fund by substituting Rs. 15 crores in place of Rs. 50 crores so that numbers of the infrastructural development projects are increased.

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7. RESOLUTIONS

(i) OFFICIAL

1. The following Resolution was moved on the 30th October, 2013 by the Minister for Parliamentary Affairs:-

" This House expresses its concern over the acute shortage of sand and gravel in the State resulting in spiralling high cost of construction material. This House strongly recommends to the State Government to take effective steps to control and rationalize the situation arising out of the shortage of sand and gravel in the State and send it to the Central Government for taking necessary action to come out of the crisis."

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried on 31st October, 2013.

2. The following Resolution was moved on the 30th October, 2013 by the Minister for Parliamentary Affairs:-

" This House expresses its concern over the rates of eatables which are beyond the reach of common man and rising prices have overburdened the general public. The poor people are in great distress. The Central Government is not paying any attention towards checking the rising prices. Due to rapidly increasing prices, poor people are finding it hard to pull on their daily lives, the farmers are committing suicides on account of the debt burden. The State Government should urge the Central Government to take appropriate steps to check the rising prices."

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried on 1st November, 2013.

3. The following Resolution was moved on the 31st October, 2013 by the Chief Minister:-

" At present, Punjab is confronting with grave and dangerous problem of water-logging. Alongwith Gurdaspur, Faridkot, Fazilka, Ferozepur and Sri Muktsar Sahib various districts of the State are

badly affected with this problem. This problem persists for a long time and Punjab is facing this problem since the last three decades. Out of 2 lac hectare area of the State affected with waterlogging, 1,05,200 hectare falls in Sri Muktsar Sahib alone which comes to approximately 52% of the total affected area. In these areas where agriculture has been affected, houses, Government Offices, Schools, Hospitals, roads alongwith infrastructure have also been badly damaged. On my request, Shri Jai Ram Ramesh, Union Minister for Rural Development visited the water logged affected areas and also expressed deep concern over the situation. He also sent a team of experts in Punjab under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Member Director, Mihir Shah concerned with water resources in Planning Commission and after investigating this grave problem in depth, he prepared and forwarded the scheme of Rs.960 crore to the Planning Commission.

The subsequent rainfall deteriorated the condition further. On my request, the Chairman and other Members of the 14th Finance Commission also paid a visit to the water logged affected areas. Myself and the Leader of the Opposition made an appeal to the Hon'ble Prime Minister during his Chandigarh visit to find a solution to this serious problem, on which he gave us assurance to consider the matter on priority basis. Later on, once again a Committee of Experts on behalf of the Planning Commission headed by Dr. Samra visited the water logged affected areas and presented a Report thereon. The State Government also constituted a Committee under the Chairmanship of Technical Advisor which made a critical study of the same in depth and prepared a Master Plan in this regard worth 3277.57 crore rupees to find a permanent solution to the said problem and forwarded the same to Government of India.

Looking at the utmost seriousness, the Hon'ble Leader of Opposition in this House met the Planning Commission on the 5th October, 2013 and requested them that they should consider the Master Plan as a National Project sent by the State Government to find an appropriate solution to this serious problem.

In view of the seriousness of the problem, this House

unanimously strongly recommends to the Government of India to find an appropriate solution to this serious problem of water logging in the State and to take immediate necessary steps to protect the State from this calamity and provide the required money for the same."

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

4. The following resolution was moved on the 31st October, 2013 by the Minister for Parliamentary Affairs:-

" This House feels that the drugs / intoxicants smuggled through the border are gripping most of the youth of the Country especially, the Punjabi youth in its clutches. The BSF and other Central Agencies deputed on the International Border are not discharging their duties responsibly. The Government of India especially the Department of Home Affairs is not taking appropriate steps in this regard.

Therefore, this House strongly recommends to discuss this serious issue."

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried on 1st November, 2013.

(ii) NON OFFICIAL

Sr. No.	Subject	Total	Treasury Benches SAD	BJP	Indian National Congress	Independents
1.	No. of Notices received	33	24	2	6	1
2.	No. of Notices Admitted	33	24	2	6	1
3.	No. of Notices Disallowed	-	-	-	-	-
4.	No. of Notices Referred Back	-	-	-	-	-

5.	No. of Resolutions Balloted	19	12	1	5	1
6.	Total No. of Resolutions lapsed on prorogation	14	12	1	1	1
7.	No. of Ballots held	One				
8.	Date(s) on which Ballots held	30th October, 2013				
9.	Date on which Business other than Government Business transacted	1st November, 2013				

On Friday, the 1st November, 2013 a Resolution was moved by Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema, MLA as under:-

"This House strongly recommends to the State Government to build pressure on the Centre Govt. to raise voice at an appropriate level against the proposed legislation brought in by the Quebec Govt. in Canada pertaining to imposition of ban on wearing of religious symbols by the people of various religions employed in Government jobs in Quebec Province."

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8. PAPERS RE-LAID / LAID

Sr No.	By whom laid	Date on which relaid/laid	Subject
1.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	29-10-2013	1. i) The East Punjab War Awards (Amendment) Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 3 of 2013); ii) The Punjab Privately Managed Recognised Schools Employees (Security of Service) Amendment Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 4 of 2013); iii) The Punjab School Education Board (Amendment) Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 7 of 2013); iv) The Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 10 of 2013); and v) The Punjab Municipal Corporation (Second Amendment) Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 11 of2013), as required under Article 213 (2)(a) of the Constitution of India. 2 i) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Single Point Supply to Co-operative Group Housing Societies / Employers) (1st Amendment) Regulations, 2010;

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			ii) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Electricity Supply Code and Related Matters) (1st Amendment) Regulations, 2010;
			iii) The Punjab State Grid Code (1st Amendmént)-2010;
			iv) the Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Open Access) (Third Amendment) Regulations, 2010;
			v) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Renewable Purchase Obligation and its Compliance) Regulations, 2011;
			vi) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions for Intra-State Open Access) Regulations, 2011;
			vii) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Fee) (2nd Amendment) Regulations, 2011;
			viii) Regarding specifying procedure for payment of compensation in the event of failure to meet the standards of performance by the Licensee as envisaged in

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			Regulation 26 of the Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Electricity Supply Code and Related Matters) Regulations, 2007;
			ix) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Forum and Ombudsman) (Third Amendment) Regulations, 2011;
			x) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Electricity Supply Code and Related Matters) (2nd Amendment) Regulations, 2011;
			xi) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Demand Side Management) Regulations, 2012;
			xii) Regarding amendment in the procedure for payment of compensation in the event of failure to meet the standards of performance by the Licensee as envisaged in Regulation 26 of the Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Electricity Supply Code and Related Matters) Regulations, 2007; and

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			xiii) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions for Inter-State Open Access) (1st Amendment) Regulations, 2012,
			as required under Section 182 of the Electricity Act, 2003.
		3.	i) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Conduct of Business) (2nd Amendment) Regulations, 2012;
			ii) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Electricity Supply Code and Related Matters) (3rd Amendment) Regulations, 2012;
			iii) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Engagement of Consultants) Regulations, 2012;
			iv) Regarding amendments in the procedure for payment of compensation in the event of failure to meet the Standards of Performance by the Licensee as envisaged in Regulation 26 of the Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Electricity Supply Code and Related Matters) Regulations, 2007;

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			v) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms and Conditions for Determination of Tariff), Second Amendment, Regulations, 2012;
			vi) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Power Purchase and Procurement Process of Licensee) Regulations, 2012;
			vii) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Forum & Ombudsman) (4th Amendment) Regulations, 2012;
			viii) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Terms & Conditions for Intra-State Open Access) (2nd Amendment) Regulations, 2012; and
			ix) The Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission (Punjab State Grid Code) Regulations, 2013,
			as required under Section 182 of the Electricity Act, 2003.
			4. The 43rd and 44th Annual Reports of the Punjab State Warehousing Corporation for the years 2009-10 and 2010-11, as required under Section 31(11) of the Warehousing Corporation Act, 1962.

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			5. The Annual Administrative Report of the Patiala Urban Planning & Development Authority (PDA), Patiala for the year 2011-12, as required under Section 54(2) of the Punjab Regional and Town Planning & Development Act, 1995.
			6. The Balance sheet of the Greater Ludhiana Area Development Authority (GLADA), Ludhiana for the year 2011-12, as required under Section 53(5) of the Punjab Regional and Town Planning & Development Act, 1995.
			7. The 5th Annual Report & Accounts of the Amritsar Hotel Limited for the year 2007-08, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
			8. The 46th Annual Report of the Punjab State Industrial Development Corporation Ltd., Chandigarh for the year 2011-12, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
			9. The Audit Report on the Accounts of the Punjab Financial Corporation, Chandigarh for the year ended 31st March, 2012, as required under Section 37(6) of the State Financial Corporations Act, 1951.

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			10.	The Annual Report of the Punjab Health Systems Corporation for the year 2011-12, as required under Section 21(4) of the Punjab Health Systems Corporation Act, 1996.
			11.	The Annual Report of the Punjab State Board of Technical Education and Industrial Training for the year 2011-12, as required under Section 28(4) of the Punjab State Board of Technical Education & Industrial Training Act, 1992.
			12.	The Statement of trends in receipts and expenditure in relation to the Budget from 1.4.2012 to 31.3.2013, as required under Section 6(1) of the Punjab Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management Act, 2003.
			13.	The Annual Report of the Punjab Police Housing Corporation Limited for the year 2009-10, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
			14.	The Annual Reports of the Punjab Police Security Corporation Limited for the years 2008-09 and 2009-10, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.

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			15. The Annual Reports & Accounts of the Punjab Pollution Control Board, Patiala for the years 2011-12 and 2012-13, as required under Section 39 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974.
2.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	30-10-2013	1. i) The Punjab Co-operative Societies (Amendment) Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 8 of 2013); and ii) The Punjab Laws (Special Provisions) Amendment Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 9 of 2013), as required under Article 213 (2)(a) of the Constitution of India.
			2. The Notification Nos. 2/7/2012-lg3/101568/1, and 2/7/2012-lg3/101580/1, dated the 25th September, 2013 received from Department of Local Government relating to the Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No.10 of 2013) and the Punjab Municipal Corporation (Second Amendment) Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 11 of 2013) respectively.

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			3.	The Corrigendum to separate Audit Report on the Accounts of the Punjab State Electricity Regulatory Commission for the year ended 31st March, 2011.
			4.	The 39th Annual Report of the Punjab Water Resources Management & Development Corporation Ltd. for the year 2009-10, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
			5.	The 7th and 8th Annual Reports & Accounts of the Punjab Agro Foodgrains Corporation Limited for the years 2008-09 and 2009-10, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
			6.	The 45th and 46th Annual Reports & Accounts of the Punjab Agro Industries Corporation Limited for the years 2010-11 and 2011-12, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
3.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	31-10-2013	1. i)	The Punjab Infrastructure (Development and Regulation) Amendment Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No.01 of 2013); and

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			ii) The Punjab Mechanical Vehicles (Bridges and Roads Tolls) (Amendment) Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 6 of 2013), as required under Article 213 (2)(a) of the Constitution of India.
			2. The 37th Annual Report of the Punjab State Civil Supplies Corporation Ltd. (PUNSUP) for the year 2010-11, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
			3. The Administration Report of the PEPSU Road Transport Corporation, Patiala for the year 2010-11, as required under Section 35(3) of the Road Transport Corporation Act, 1950.
			4. The Annual Report & Accounts of the Punjab Small Industries & Export Corporation Ltd., Chandigarh for the year 2009-10, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
			5. The Annual Report of the Punjab State Information Commission, Chandigarh for the year 2010, as required under Section 25(4) of the Right to Information Act, 2005.

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			6.	The Notification No.2/94/2012-4GR-1/11921, dated the 15th January, 2013 regarding provision of the Right to Information Act, 2005 shall not apply to the Economic Intelligence Unit, Vigilance Bureau, Government of Punjab, as required under Section 29(2) of the above said Act.
			7.	The Main Report of the Fourth Punjab Finance Commission alongwith Explanatory Memorandum as to the action taken on the recommendations of the above said Commission, as required under Article 243-I(4) and 243-Y(2) of the Constitution of India and Section 11 of the Punjab Finance Commission for Panchayats and Municipalities Act, 1994.
			8.	The Annual Reports & Accounts of the Punjab Pollution Control Board for the years 2005-06, 2006-07 and 2007-08, as required under Section 39 of the Water (Prevention and Control of Pollution) Act, 1974.
4.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	1-11-2013	1. i)	The Punjab Police (Amendment) Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No.2 of 2013); and

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			ii) The Indian Stamp (Punjab Amendment) Ordinance, 2013 (Punjab Ordinance No. 5 of 2013), as required under Article 213 (2)(a) of the Constitution of India.
		2.	The Statements of trends in receipts and expenditure in relation to the Budget (2012-13) from 1.4.2012 to 31.12.2012 and Budget (2013-14) from 1.4.2013 to 30.6.2013, as required under Section 6(1) of the Punjab Fiscal Responsibility and Budget Management Act, 2003.
		3.	The 7th Annual Report & Accounts of the Punjab State Grains Procurement Corporation Limited (PUNGRAIN) for the year 2009-10, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
		4.	The Annual Report of the Punjab Public Service Commission for the period from 1.4.2010 to 31.3.2011, as required under Article 323(2) of the Constitution of India.

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			5.	The 5th and 6th Annual Reports & Accounts of the Gulmohar Tourist Complex (Holiday Home) Ltd. for the years 2007-08 and 2008-09, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
			6.	The 6th Annual Report & Accounts of the Neem Chameli Tourist Complex Ltd. for the year 2008-09, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.
			7.	The 6th Annual Report & Accounts of the Amritsar Hotel Limited for the year 2008-09, as required under Section 619-A of the Companies Act, 1956.

9. REPORTS PRESENTED/LAID

Sr. No.	By whom presented/ laid	Date on which presented/ laid	Subject
1	2	3	4
I.		***BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE***	
	Speaker	29-10-2013	First Report of the Business Advisory Committee.
II.		***COMMITTEE OF PRIVILEGES***	
	Chairman	29-10-2013	Interim Report of the Committee of Privileges regarding privilege issue raised by Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs, Punjab.
III.		***COMMITTEE ON GENERAL PURPOSES***	
	Speaker	1-11-2013	Report of General Purposes Committee for the year 2013-14.

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10. OTHER MOTIONS

Sr. No	Minister / Member moving	Moved on	Discussed on	Subject	Remarks / Decision
1	2	3	4	5	6
1.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	29-10-2013	29-10-2013	Adoption of the recommendations contained in the First Report of the Business Advisory Committee.	Carried
2.	Minister for Parliamentary Affairs	1-11-2013	1-11-2013	Motion under Rule 16 regarding Adjournment of the House sine-die.	Carried

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11. CALLING ATTENTION NOTICES UNDER RULE 66

In all, 11 Notices of Calling Attention to matters of urgent public importance were received. Out of these, three were admitted, comments from the department concerned were sought on one Calling Attention as desired by Hon'ble Speaker and one was not in time. The other Notices were disallowed by the Speaker in his Chamber on one ground or the other.

The detail of three admitted Notices which were taken up in the House, is given below:-

Sr. No.	Calling Attention Notice No.	Member(s) Calling Attention	Date	Subject	Remarks
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.
1.	2	Smt. Rajinder Kaur Bhattal	29-10-2013	Regarding non-availability of doctors in Civil Health Centre, Lehragaga (Sangrur) due to change of its category from D to B.	The Minister for Health and Family Welfare made a statement.
2.	5	Justice Nirmal Singh and Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan	29-10-2013	Regarding recovery of loan from the legal heirs of the deceased Scheduled Castes beneficiaries disbursed by the Punjab Scheduled Castes Land Development and Finance Corporation.	The Minister for Welfare of Scheduled Castes and Backward Classes made a statement.

Sr. No.	Calling Attention Notice No.	Member(s) Calling Attention	Date	Subject	Remarks
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.
3.	8	Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi	31-10-2013	Regarding increase in accidents due to improper implementation of traffic rules.	The Deputy Chief Minister made a statement..

12. STATEMENTS BY THE DEPUTY CHIEF MINISTER/ MINISTERS

The Deputy Chief Minister/Ministers made a total number of four statements including three statements made in reply to Calling Attention Notices. The detail in regard to the other statement is as under:

Date	Made by	Subject Matter
1.	2.	3.
01.11.2013	Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister	Regarding encroachment on the Shamlat (Common Land) Land of Village Karoran by President of PPCC

13. STATEMENTS MADE IN REPLY TO MATTERS RAISED DURING ZERO HOUR

Nine statements were made in reply to various matters raised by the Hon'ble Members during Zero Hour, the details of which are as under:-

Sr.	Date	Made by	Subject-matter
1.	2.	3.	4.
1.	29.10.2013	Local Government, Medical Education and Research Minister	Regarding imposition of property tax in the state.

Sr. No.	Date	Made by	Subject-matter
1.	2.	3.	4.
2.	29.10.2013	Deputy Chief Minster	Regarding imposition of property tax in the state.
3.	30.10.2013	Deputy Chief Minster	Regarding the issue of communal tension in Amloh/ Malerkotla.
4.	30.10.2013	Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister	Regarding prompt action taken by the police in registering FIR and the accused and arresting seven of them pertaining to a murder case that took place at Village Kalowali, PS Dera Baba Nanak, District Gurdaspur.
5.	30.10.2013	Deputy Chief Minister	-do-
6.	30.10.2013	Deputy Chief Minister	Regarding newly launched police helpline no. 181
7.	30.10.2013	Chief Minister	Regarding continuing of Sangat Darshan programme in order to remove the gap between the Government and the public.
8.	31.10.2013	Revenue & Rehabilitation Minister	Regarding conducting of investigation in the case of wrong registry made in Village Kalanaur, District Gurdaspur
9.	1.11.2013	Food & Civil Supplies Minister	Regarding clarification with regard to the delay in lifting of Paddy by the Government

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14. COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF SPEECHES MADE AND TIME TAKEN

Number of speeches made by				Time taken in H.M. by			
Treasury Benches		Members of Indian National Congress Party	Independents	Treasury Benches		Members of Indian National Congress Party	Independents
Members excluding Ministers	Ministers			Members excluding Ministers	Ministers		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
14	35	44	-	1.25	3.44	4.25	-
15.06%	37.63%	47.31%	-	14.80%	39.03%	46.17%	-

Notes:
1. Observations/Statements/Rulings etc. made by the Chair and time taken thereon are not included in the above Statement.
2. Question Hour has been excluded from the Statement.
3. Speeches made and time taken by the Chief Parliamentary Secretaries have been included in the category of Ministers.
4. Time taken on Divisions, Adjournment Motions, Calling Attention Notices, Privilege Motions, No Confidence Motions, Points of Order, Motions in respect of Legislation, Personal Explanations, Congratulatory Speeches, Presentation of Reports and other such Papers etc., if any, is also excluded from the Statement.

15. Figures relating to Questions

1.	Total No. of Sittings of the Sabha	5
2.	Total No. of Notices of Questions received	195
	Starred Questions	194
	Unstarred Question	1
	Short Notice Questions	Nil
3.	Total No. of Sittings at which Questions were not taken up	1
4.	Total No. of Members from whom Notices were received	39
5.	Total No. of Questions placed on Order Paper	87
	Starred Questions	80
	Unstarred Questions	07
	Short Notice Questions	Nil
6.	Total No. of Starred Questions to which oral answers were given	53
7.	Total No. of Starred Questions deemed to have been answered under **Rule-38**	10
8	Total No. of Starred Questions converted into Unstarred Questions	79
9.	Total No. of Unstarred Questions replied to	04
10.	Total No. of Starred Questions postponed	11
11.	Maximum No. of Questions addressed to any one Minister	
	PWD (B&R) Minister on 31-10-2013	3
	Irrigation Minister on 1-11-2013	3
	Rural Development & Panchayats Minister 1-11-2013	3
12.	Maximum No. of Questions orally answered by any one Minister **Irrigation Minister on 1-11-2013**	2

16. QUESTIONS STATEMENT

Type of Questions	No. of Notices received	No. of Notice consid-ered	No. of Notices admitted	No. of Notices dis-allowed/ referred back	No. of Notices clubbed with other Notices on the same Subject	No. of postponed Questions	No. of Questions not-put	No. of Questions answered	No. of Starred Questions converted into Unstarred Questions on Proro-gation of the Session	No. of Questions deemed to have been answered under Rule-38	No. of Notices with-drawn	No. of Supple-mentaries asked	No. of Notices lapsed on Prorogation
Starred Questions	194	194	172	04	04	11	06	53	79	10	02	96	11
Unstarred Questions	01	01	08	-	-	03	-	04	-	-	-	-	-
Short Notice Questions	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

7 (NOTICES OFSEVEN STARRED QUESTIONS WERE ADMITTED AS UNSTARRED QUESTIONS BY THE HON'BLE SPEAKER)

17. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS ANSWERED, DATE-WISE AND PARTY-WISE.

DATE	S.A.D.	B.J.P.	I.N.C.	INDEPENDENT	TOTAL
29-10-2013	10	-	06	-	16
30-10-2013	10	-	04	-	14
31-10-2013	06	01	04	-	11
1-11-2013	05	-	07	-	12
	TOTAL				**53**

18. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS DEEMED TO HAVE BEEN ANSWERED UNDER RULE (38), DATE-WISE AND PARTY-WISE

DATE	S.A.D.	B.J.P.	I.N.C.	INDEPENDENT	TOTAL
29-10-2013	-	-	-	-	-
30-10-2013	01	-	01	-	02
31-10-2013	03	-	03	-	06
1-11-2013	01	-	01	-	02
	Total:				**10**

19. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS NOT PUT, DATE-WISE AND PARTY-WISE.

DATE	S.A.D.	B.J.P.	I.N.C.	INDEPENDENT	TOTAL
29-10-2013	-	-	-	-	-
30-10-2013	01	-	01	-	02
31-10-2013	-	-	02	-	02
1-11-2013	01	-	01	-	02
	TOTAL-				**6**

20. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS LISTED IN THE NAME OF DIFFERENT MINISTERS DATE-WISE.

Date	Chief Minister	Deputy Chief Minister	Local Govt. Minister	Finance Minister	Irrigation Minister	PWD (B&R) Minister	Health & Family Welfare Minister	Food & Supplies Minister	Education Minister	Welfare Minister	Revenue/ NRI Minister	Social Security Minister
29.10.2013	02	02	02	-	01	02	02	01	02	01	01	-
30.10.2013	02	01	02	02	01	02	02	-	02	-	-	-
31.10.2013	02	-	02	-	02	03	01	-	02	01	01	01
1.11.2013	02	01	02	01	03	-	02	-	02	01	-	-

Date	Labour & Employment Minister	Rural Development & Panchayat Minister	Forest Minister	Industries Minister	Agriculture Minister	Information Technology Minister	Animal Husbandry Minister	Transport Minister	Medical Education Minister	Cultural Affairs Minister	Technical Education Minister	Total
29.10.2013	–	02	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	02	–	20
30.10.2013	01	01	–	–	–	–	02	–	–	01	01	20
31.10.2013	–	–	–	02	–	–	01	02	–	–	–	20
1.11.2013	–	03	–	–	–	–	01	02	–	–	–	20

21. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF STARRED QUESTIONS POSTPONED DATE-WISE AND PARTY-WISE.

DATE	S.A.D.	B.J.P.	I.N.C.	INDEPENDENT	TOTAL
29-10-2013	01	-	02	-	03
30-10-2013	01	-	03	-	04
31-10-2013	-	-	01	-	01
1-11-2013	01	-	02	-	03
		TOTAL-			11

22. STATEMENT SHOWING THE NUMBER OF POSTOPONED STARRED QUESTIONS DATE-WISE AND MINISTER-WISE.

Date	Chief Minister	Deputy Chief Minister	Local Government Minister	Irrigation Minister	PWD(B&R) Minister	Food & Supplies Welfare Minister	Rural Development lopment & Panchayats Minister	Animal Husbanddry Minister	Total
29.10.2013	–	1	–	–	–	1	1	–	03
30.10.2013	01	–	–	–	01	–	–	02	04
31.10.2013	01	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	01
1.11.2013	–	01	01	01	–	–	–	–	03
							Total		**11**

23. STATEMENT SHOWING STARRED QUESTIONS POSTPONED FROM SOME OF THE ABOVE REFERRED STARRED QUESTIONS WHICH WERE INCLUDED IN THE LIST OF POSTPONED STARRED QUESTIONS

Date on which postponed	Health & Family Welfare Minister			Total
31-10-2013	01	-	-	01
	Total:			01

24. WALK-OUTS

Sr. No.	Date	Members walking out	Occasion
1.	29.10.2013	All the Members of the Indian National Congress Party, present in the House, and Shri Rajnish Kumar, Independent Member.	As a mark of protest against imposition of property tax in the State.
2.	30.10.2013	All the Members of the Indian National Congress Party, present in the House.	As a mark of protest against not being allowed to speak during Zero Hour.
3.	30.10.2013	All the Members of the Indian National Congress Party, present in the House, and Shri Rajnish Kumar, Independent Member.	As a mark of protest against the Punjab Municipal (Amendment Bill).

4.	01.11.2013	All the Members of the Indian National Congress Party, present in the House, and Shri Rajnish Kumar, Independent Member.	As a mark of protest against not being allowed to bring a Resolution in the House regarding excesses committed by the Gujarat Government against the Punjabi people residing there.

25. RULING GIVEN BY THE SPEAKER

The following Ruling was given on the 29th October, 2013 in the House:-

" That a person who is not a Member of the House and is outside the House, if any allegation is levelled against him and he cannot give any explanation in reply to the same as well as cannot defend himself and cannot explain his position, kindly don't try to call out his name. The decorum of the House also calls for the same that a person who is not present in the House, his name should not be mentioned in the House. There are other ways also through which we can discuss the matter. "

APPENDIX-1

26. BULLETINS PERTAINING TO THE SIXTH SESSION 2013

BULLETIN NO. 1
MONDAY, THE 28TH OCTOBER, 2013

(From 2.00 P.M. to 2.25 P.M.)

OBITUARY REFERENCES

The Hon'ble Speaker made references to the passing away of the following:-

1. Smt. Gurbinder Kaur Brar, Ex-MP and Ex-Minister of State, Punjab
2. Sardar Charanjit Singh Walia, Ex-MP and Famous Employees Leader;
3. Smt. Balwant Kaur, Ex-MLC;
4. Smt. Sarla Devi, Ex-MLA
5. Shri Satya Pal Dang, Ex-MLA
6. Sardar Kirpal Singh Dhillon, Ex-MLA
7. Comrade Kulwant Singh, Ex-MLA
8. Shri Harish Bedi, Ex-MLA
9. Sardar Hari Singh Saini, Ex-MLA
10. Comrade Jagjit Singh Lyallpuri, Eminent Communist Leader;
11. Sardar Ram Singh, Freedom Fighter;
12. Sardar Gurbaksh Singh Rani, Freedom Fighter;
13. Sardar Ram Singh, Freedom Fighter;
14. Sardar Gurdas Singh Bedi, Freedom Fighter;
15. Sardar Kartar Singh, Freedom Fighter;
16. Sardar Kabal Singh, Freedom Fighter;
17. Shri Prakash Chand Walla, Freedom Fighter;
18. Sardar Bhagwant Singh, Freedom Fighter;

19. Sardar Mehar Singh, Freedom Fighter;
20. Shri Tilak Raj Suri, Freedom Fighter;
21. Sardar Gurmukh Singh, Freedom Fighter;
22. Sardar Gurdev Singh, Freedom Fighter;
23. Shri Krishan Chander, Freedom Fighter;
24. Thakur Punjab Singh, Freedom Fighter;
25. Sardar Vir Singh Haal, Freedom Fighter;
26. Sardar Shingara Singh, Freedom Fighter;
27. Sardar Gian Singh Katal, Freedom Fighter;
28. Shri Inder Sen Chawla, Freedom Fighter;
29. Sardar Dan Singh, Freedom Fighter;
30. Captain Ranjit Singh, Freedom Fighter;
31. Sardar Gurdial Singh, Freedom Fighter;
32. Sardar Dyal Singh, Freedom Fighter;
33. Shri Jagdish Tangri, Great Personality;
34. Shri Manna Dey, Famous Singer;
35. Sardar Mohinder Singh Pabat, Famous Taksali Akali Leader;
36. Shri Pran, Famous Actor;
37. Smt. Rajinder Kaur, Famous Punjabi Writer;
38. Sardar Santokh Singh Tapasvi, Famous Journalist; and
39. Sardar Gurdev Singh Rai, Famous Punjabi Writer

The Hon'ble Speaker paid rich tributes to above mentioned great personalities and besides aforesaid great personalities the Hon'ble Speaker included Shri Jasdeep Malhotra, Journalist of Hindustan Times on being asked by Sardar Bikram Singh Majithia, Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister, Padam Shri Rana Moti Singh on being proposed by Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition, Smt. Nirmala Malhotra, mother of Shri Deep Malhotra, MLA on being asked by Sardar Parminder Singh Pinki, MLA and also Shri Gurcharanjit

Singh Grewal, father of Sardar Manpreet Singh Ayali, MLA in the list of condolence Resolutions.

The Hon'ble Speaker informed the House that condolence messages would be sent to the bereaved families.

The House stood in silence for two minutes as a mark of respect to the departed souls.

Thereafter the House, then adjourned without transacting any other Business till 10.00 AM on Tuesday, the 29th October, 2013.

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BULLETIN NO. 2

TUESDAY, THE 29TH OCTOBER, 2013

(From 10.00 A.M. to 12.44 P.M.)

1. Questions

Starred

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	17	-	3	-	27

2. Walk-out

During Question Hour, all the Members of the Indian National Congress Party, present in the House and Shri Rajnish Kumar, Independent Member, staged a walk-out from the House raising anti-govt. slogans as a mark of protest against imposition of property tax.

3. Announcement by the Hon'ble Speaker

The Hon'ble Speaker made an announcement under Rule 13(1) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Punjab Vidhan Sabha (Punjab Legislative Assembly) regarding nomination of the following Members to serve on the Panel of Chairmen:-

1. Sardar Gurtej Singh Ghuriana
2. Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan
3. Sardar Laal Singh; and
4. Shri Manoranjan Kalia.

4. Announcement by the Secretary

The Secretary laid on the Table of the House a statement showing the Bills which were passed by the 14th Vidhan Sabha during its Third & Fourth Sessions, which have since been assented to by the Governor.

5. Calling Attention Notice

1. **Smt. Rajinder Kaur Bhattal, MLA** drew the attention of the Govt. towards non-availability of doctors in Civil Health Centre, Lehragaga (Sangrur) due to change of its category from D to B.

(No. 2)

The Health and Family Welfare Minister made a statement.

2. **Justice Nirmal Singh, MLA and Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, MLA** drew the attention of the Govt. towards recovery of loan from the legal heirs of the deceased Scheduled Castes beneficiaries disbursed by the Punjab Scheduled Castes Land Development and Finance Corporation.

(No. 5)

The Minister for Welfare of Scheduled Castes and Backward Classes made a statement.

6. Ruling given by the Hon'ble Speaker

Following Ruling was given by the Hon'ble Speaker in the House:-

"That a person who is not a Member of the House and is outside the House, if any allegation is leveled against him and he cannot give any explanation in reply to the same as well as cannot defend himself and cannot explain his position, kindly don't try to call out his name. The decorum of the House also calls for the same that a person who is not present in the House, his name should not be mentioned in the House. There are other ways also through which we can discuss the matter.

7. First Report of the Business Advisory Committee

The Hon'ble Speaker presented to the House the First Report of the Business Advisory Committee regarding the Business to be transacted by the Punjab Vidhan Sabha in its Sittings from 29th October 2013 to 1st November 2013.

The following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names:-

1. Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition 1/2 minute

2. Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, Indian National Congress — 1/2 minute

The following motion moved by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister was put to the vote of the House and carried.

"That this House agrees with the recommendations contained in the First Report of the Business Advisory Committee."

8. Presentation of Report

The Chairman (Sardar Hari Singh Zira) of the Committee of Privileges presented the Interim Report of the Committee of Privileges regarding privilege issue raised by Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs.

9. Papers Re-laid/to be laid on the Table

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister laid on the Table of the House papers as mentioned at Sr. No. 1 to 15 shown under item No. VI in today's List of Business.

10. Legislative Business

1) The Pepsu Tenancy and Agricultural Lands (Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister introduced the Pepsu Tenancy and Agricultural Lands (Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clause 2, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister that "The Pepsu Tenancy and Agricultural Lands (Amendment) Bill, 2013 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

2) The Punjab Security of Land Tenures (Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister introduced the Punjab Security of Land Tenures (Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, the following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names:-

1.	Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party	3 minutes
2.	Jathedar Tota Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	1 minute

The Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister, by way of reply, on the Bill spoke for 1 minute.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 and 3, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister that "The Punjab Security of Land Tenures (Amendment) Bill, 2013" was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

3) The Punjab Agricultural Produce Markets (Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Chief Minister introduced the Punjab Agricultural Produce Markets (Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, Indian National Congress, spoke for 2 minutes.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clause 2, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Chief Minister that "The Punjab Agricultural Produce Markets (Amendment) Bill, 2013 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

4) **The Punjab Privately Managed Recognized Schools Employees (Security of Service) Amendment Bill, 2013**

The Education Minister introduced the Punjab Privately Managed Recognized Schools Employees (Security of Service) Amendment Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 4, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Education Minister that " The Punjab Privately Managed Recognized Schools Employees (Security of Service) Amendment Bill, 2013 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

5) **The Punjab School Education Board (Amendment) Bill, 2013**

The Education Minister introduced the Punjab School Education Board (Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition spoke for 3 minutes.

The Education Minister replied to the discussion on the Bill and while doing so, he spoke for 1 minute.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 and 3, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Education Minister that "The Punjab School Education Board (Amendment) Bill, 2013 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

6) **The Punjab Prohibition of Cow Slaughter (Amendment) Bill, 2013**

The Animal Husbandry, Fisheries and Dairy Development Minister introduced the Punjab Prohibition of Cow Slaughter (Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

During discussion on the Bill, the following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names:

1.	Sardar Sohan Singh Thandal, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	1 minute
2.	Sardar Balbir Singh Sidhu, Indian National Congress	1 minute
3.	Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party	1/2 minute
4.	Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, Indian National Congress	1/2 minute
5.	Shri Ashwani Kumar Sharma, Bharatiya Janata Party	2 minutes
6.	Jathedar Tota Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	1 minute
7.	Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition	1/2 minute

The Animal Husbandry, Fisheries and Dairy Development Minister, by way of reply, on the Bill spoke for 1 minute.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 and 3, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

The motion moved by the Animal Husbandry, Fisheries and Dairy Development Minister that "The Punjab Prohibition of Cow Slaughter

(Amendment) Bill, 2013" was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

11. Announcement made by the Hon'ble Speaker

The Hon'ble Speaker made an announcement that tomorrow i.e. on 30th October 2013, one hour discussion will be held on the issue of price rise and sand.

Thereafter, the House, then adjourned till 10.00 A.M. on Wednesday, the 30th October 2013.

BULLETIN NO. 3

WEDNESDAY, THE 30TH OCTOBER, 2013

(From 10.00 A.M. to 2.37 P.M.)

1. Questions

Starred

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	13	3	2	2	25

2. Papers to be laid on the Table

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister laid on the Table of the House papers as mentioned at Sr.No. 1 to 6 shown under item No.II in today's List of Business.

3. Legislative Business

1) The Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Bill, 2013 (Replacing Ordinance)

The Local Government Minister introduced The Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, the following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names:-

1. Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema, Shiromani Akali Dal — 21 minutes
2. Sardar Balbir Singh Sidhu, Indian National Congress — 6 minutes
3. Shri Manoranjan Kalia, Bharatiya Janata Party — 9 minutes

4. Shri Bharat Bhushan Ashu, Indian National Congress 6 minutes
5. Shri Parkash Chand Garg, Chief Parliamentary Secretary 5 minutes
6. Shri Ashwani Sekhri, Indian National Congress 8 minutes
7. Shri Brahm Mohindra, Indian National Congress 9 minutes
8. Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition 8 minutes
9. Sardar Sukhbir Singh Badal, Deputy Chief Minister 4 minutes

The Local Government Minister, by way of reply, on the Bill spoke for 6 minutes.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 17, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Local Government Minister that, "The Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Bill, 2013 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

2) **The Punjab Cooperative Societies (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013 (Replacing Ordinance)**

The Chief Minister introduced The Punjab Co-operative Societies (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, the following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names:-

1. Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition 3 minutes
2. Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, Indian National Congress 2 minutes.

The Chief Minister, by way of reply, on the Bill spoke for 1 minute.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause

1, Clauses 2 and 3, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Chief Minister that "The Punjab Co-operative Societies (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

3) The Punjab Municipal Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Local Government Minister introduced The Punjab Municipal Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clause 2, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Local Government Minister that "The Punjab Municipal Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2013 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

4) The Punjab Water Supply and Sewerage Board (Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Local Government Minister introduced The Punjab Water Supply and Sewerage Board (Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, the following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names:-

1. Shri Ashwani Sekhri, Indian National Congress — 2 minutes
2. Shri Som Parkash, Chief Parliamentary Secretary — 1 minute
3. Sardar Jagmohan Singh Kang, Indian National Congress — 1 minute
4. Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition — 1 minute

The Local Government Minister, by way of reply on the Bill, spoke for one minute.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 14, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Local Government Minister that "The Punjab Water Supply and Sewerage` Board (Amendment) Bill, 2013 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

5) The Punjab Municipal Corporation (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013 (Replacing Ordinance)

The Local Government Minister introduced the Punjab Municipal Corporation (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, the following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names:-

1. Shri Ashwani Sekhri, Indian National Congress — 5 minutes
2. Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, Indian National Congress — 2 minutes
3. Shri Som Parkash, Chief Parliamentary Secretary — 4 minutes.

The Local Government Minister, by way of reply on the Bill, spoke for two minutes.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 24, as there was no amendment, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Local Government Minister that "The Punjab Municipal Corporation (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

6) The Payment of Wages (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Labour Minister introduced The Payment of Wages (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2013 and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clause 2, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Labour Minister that "The Payment of Wages (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2013 be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

4. **Walk-out**

During discussion on Punjab Municipal (Amendment) Bill, 2013, all the Members of the Indian National Congress Party, present in the House, staged a walk-out from the House at 11.46 AM as a mark of protest against not being allowed to speak during Zero Hour and again all the Members of the Indian National Congress Party, present in the House, and Shri Rajnish Kumar, Independent Member, staged a walk-out from the House at 1.38 P.M. as a mark of protest against the same Bill.

5. **Discussion on the Resolutions**

1) **Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Industries and Commerce, Technical Education and Industrial Training and Parliamentary Affairs Minister moved the following Resolution in the House:**

"This House expresses its concern over the acute shortage of sand and gravel in the State resulting in spirelling high cost of construction material. This House strongly recommends to the State government to take effective steps to control and rationalize the situation arising out of shortage of sand and gravel in the State and send it to the Central Government for taking necessary action to come out of the crisis."

2) **Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Industries and Commerce, Technical Education and Industrial Training and Parliamentary Affairs Minister moved the following Resolution in the House:**

"This House strongly recommends that as the rates of eatables have gone beyond the reach of common man and rising prices have

overburdened the general public, the poor people are in great distress. The Central Government is not paying any attention towards checking the rising prices. Due to rapidly increasing prices, poor people are finding it hard to pull on their daily lives. In the face of rising burden of loans the farmers are opting for suicides and every section of the society is disheartened on account of inflation. The State Government should urge the Central Government to take appropriate steps on this serious matter to check the rising prices."

6. Extension of Time

With the consent of the House, the time of today's Sitting was extended till the completion of remaining Business of the House.

Thereafter, the House, then adjourned till 10.00 A.M. on Thursday, the 31st October, 2013.

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BULLETIN NO.4

THURSDAY, THE 31ST OCTOBER 2013

(FROM 10.00 A.M. to 3.59 P.M.)

1. Questions

Starred

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered under Rule 38	No. of Supplementaries
20	11	2	-	7	23

2. Announcement made by the Hon'ble Speaker

The Hon'ble Speaker made an announcement regarding presence of Shri S.P. Singh Oberoi, eminent businessman and social worker, in the House and welcomed him on behalf of the entire House.

3. Calling Attention Notice

Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, MLA drew the attention of the Govt. towards increase in accidents due to improper implementation of traffic rules.

(No. 8)

The Deputy Chief Minister made a statement.

4. Papers to be laid on the Table

The Parliamentary Affairs Ministers laid on the Table of the House papers as mentioned at Sr. No. 1 to 8 shown under item No. III in today's List of Business.

5. Resolution

The Resolution moved by Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Industries and Commerce, Technical Education and Industrial Training and Parliamentary Affairs Minister on 30.10.2013 that "This House expresses concern over the acute shortage of sand and gravel in the State resulting in rapidly increasing

prices of construction material. This House strongly recommends to the State Government to take effective steps to approach the Central Govt. for taking necessary action to control and rationalize the situation arising out of shortage of sand and gravel in the State and thus help come out of the crisis" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

The following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names:-

1.	Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Industries and Commerce, Technical Education and Industrial Training and Parliamentary Affairs Minister	16 minutes
2.	Sardar Virsa Singh Valtoha, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	1 minute
3.	Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition	20 minutes
4.	Sardar Jagmohan Singh Kang, Indian National Congress	11 minutes
5.	Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema, Shiromani Akali Dal	15 minutes
6.	Shri Anil Joshi, Local Govt. Minister	1 minute
7.	Sardar Sukhbir Singh Badal, Deputy Chief Minister	9 minutes

The Industries and Commerce, Technical Education and Industrial Training and Parliamentary Affairs Minister gave the reply and while doing **so, he spoke for seven minutes.**

6. Official Resolution

1. The following Resolution moved by the Hon'ble Chief Minister was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously:

> "At present, Punjab is confronting with grave and dangerous problem of water-logging. Alongwith Gurdaspur, Faridkot, Fazilka, Ferozepur and Sri Muktsar Sahib various districts of the State are badly affected with this problem. This problem persists for a long time and Punjab is facing this problem since the last three decades. Out of two

lac hectare area of the State effected with waterlogging, 1,05,200 hectare falls in Sri Muktsar Sahib alone which comes to approximately 52% of the total affected area. In these areas where agriculture has been affected, houses, government offices, Schools, hospitals, roads, alongwith infrastructure have also been badly damaged. On my request, Shri Jairam Ramesh, Union Minister for Rural Development, visited the water logged affected areas and also expressed deep concern over the situation. He also sent a team of experts in Punjab under the Chairmanship of Hon'ble Member Director Mihir Shah concerned with water resources in Planning Commission and after investigating this grave problem in depth, he prepared and forwarded the scheme of Rs. 960 crore to the Planning Commission.

The subsequent rainfall deteriorated the condition further. On my request, the Chairman and other Members of the 14th Finance Commission also paid a visit to the water logged affected areas. Myself and the Leader of the Opposition made an appeal to the Hon'ble Prime Minister during his Chandigarh visit to find a solution to this serious problem, on which he gave us assurance to consider the matter on priority basis. Later on, once again a Committee of Experts on behalf of the Planning Commission headed by Dr. Samra visited the water-logged affected areas and presented a Report thereon. The State Government also constituted a Committee under the Chairmanship of Technical Advisor which made a critical study of the same in depth and prepared a Master Plan in this regard worth 3277.57 crore rupees to find a permanent solution to the said problem and forwarded the same to the Government of India.

Looking at the utmost seriousness, the Hon'ble Leader of the Opposition in this House met the Planning Commission on the 5th October 2013 and requested them that they should consider the Master Plan as a National Project sent by the State Government to find an appropriate solution to this serious problem.

In view of the seriousness of the problem, this House unanimously strongly recommends to the Government of India to find

an appropriate solution to this serious problem of water logging in the State and to take immediate necessary steps to protect the State from this calamity and provide the required money for the same."

While moving the Resolution, he spoke for 42 minutes.

The following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names:-

1.	Shri Amarinder Singh Raja Warring, Indian National Congress	22 minutes
2.	Sardar Harpreet Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	8 minutes
3.	Smt. Karan Kaur Brar, Indian National Congress	8 minutes
4.	Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition	26 minutes
5.	Sardar Janmeja Singh Sekhon, Irrigation Minister	1 minute

The Hon'ble Chief Minister gave the reply and while doing so, he spoke for 17 minutes.

2. Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Industries and Commerce, Technical Education and Industrial Training and Parliamentary Affairs Minister moved the following Resolution:-

"This House feels that the drugs/intoxicants smuggled through the border are gripping most of the youth of the country especially, the Punjabi youth, in its clutches. The BSF and other Central Agencies deputed on the International Border are not discharging their duties responsibly. The Government of India especially the Department of Home Affairs is not taking appropriate steps in this regard.

Therefore, this House strongly recommends to discuss this serious issue."

7. Extension of Time

With the consent of the House, the time of today's sitting was extended till the completion of remaining Business of the House.

Thereafter, the House, then adjourned till 10.00 A.M. on Friday, the 1st November, 2013.

BULLETIN NO.5

Friday, the 1st November, 2013

(From 10.00 A.M. to 7.17 P.M.)

1. To observe silence in the memory of Sikh Massacre in the year 1984

The Treasury Benches stood in silence for two minutes in the memory of those killed during the Sikh massacre in the year 1984 that took place 29 years ago on this day in Delhi and various other parts of the country.

2. Questions

(a) Starred

Total No. of Questions on the Order Paper	Answered	Not Put	Postponed	Answered under Rule 38	No. of Supple-mentaries
20	12	3	3	2	21

(b) Unstarred : 7

3. Adjournment of the House for a short while

The Hon'ble Speaker adjourned the House for 15 minutes i.e. from 11.04 AM to 11.19 AM due to pandemonium in the House on account of demand for Zero Hour by the Opposition before the statement to be made by the Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister.

4. Walk-out

All the Members of the Indian National Congress Party present in the House and Shri Rajnish Kumar, Independent Member, staged a walk-out from the House at 12.11 PM as a mark of protest against not being allowed to bring a Resolution in the House regarding excesses committed by the Gujarat Government against the Punjabi people residing threreat.

5. Resolution

The following Resolution was moved by Doctor Daljit Singh Cheema,

MLA, Shiromani Akali Dal, in the House and was carried : -

"This House strongly recommends to the State Government to build pressure on the Central Government to raise voice at an appropriate level against the proposed legislation brought in by the Quebec Government in Canada pertaining to imposition of ban on wearing of religious symbols by the people of various religions employed in Government jobs in Quebec Province."

6. Papers to be laid on the Table

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister laid on the Table of the House papers as mentioned at Sr.No.1 to 7 shown under Item No.II in today's List of Business.

7. Report of General Purposes Committee

The Hon'ble Speaker (Doctor Charnjit Singh Atwal) presented the Report of the General Purposes Committee for the year 2013-14 in the House and was carried unanimously by the House.

8. Motion under Rule 16

The following motion moved by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister was put to the vote of the House and carried: -

"That the Vidhan Sabha (Assembly) at its rising this day shall stand adjourned *sine-die*."

9. Statement by the Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister

The Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister made a statement with regard to encroachment on the Shamlat (common land) lands of village Karoran by the President of PPCC.

10. Legislative Business

1) The Punjab Agricultural Credit Operations and Miscellaneous Provisions (Banks) (Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister introduced the Punjab Agricultural Credit Operations and Miscellaneous Provisions (Banks) (Amendment) Bill, 2013, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

During discussion on the Bill, the following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :

1.	Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Parliamentary Affairs Minister	2 minutes
2.	Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition	1 minute
3.	Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, Shiromani Akali Dal	1 minute

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 and 3, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

The motion moved by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister that "The Punjab Agricultural Credit Operations and Miscellaneous Provisions (Banks) (Amendment) Bill, 2013, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

2) **The Punjab Laws (Special Provisions) Amendment Bill, 2013 (Replacing Ordinance)**

The Deputy Chief Minister introduced The Punjab Laws (Special Provisions) Amendment Bill, 2013, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, the following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :

1.	Shri Amarinder Singh Raja Warring, Indian National Congress	20 minutes
2.	Sardar Sohan Singh Thandal, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	1 minute

3.	Sardar Balbir Singh Sidhu, Indian National Congress	2 minutes
4.	Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition Party	7 minutes
5.	Sardar Kuljeet Singh Nagra, Indian National Congress	3 minutes
6.	Sardar Bikram Singh Majithia, Revenue & Rehabilitation Minister	1 minute
7.	Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, Indian National Congress	1 minute

The Deputy Chief Minister, by way of reply to discussion on the Bill, spoke for 18 minutes.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 and 3, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Deputy Chief Minister that "The Punjab Laws (Special Provisions) Amendment Bill, 2013, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

3. The Punjab Land Revenue (Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Revenue & Rehabilitation Minister introduced the Punjab Land Revenue (Amendment) Bill, 2013, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clause 2, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Revenue & Rehabilitation Minister that "The Punjab Land Revenue (Amendment) Bill, 2013, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

4. **The Punjab Mechanical Vehicles (Bridges & Roads Tolls) (Amendment) Bill, 2013 (Replacing Ordinance)**

The Public Works Minister introduced the Punjab Mechanical Vehicles (Bridges & Roads Tolls) (Amendment) Bill, 2013, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, Hon'ble Member Shri Ashwani Sekhri, Indian National Congress, spoke for one minute.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 6, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Public Works Minister that "The Punjab Mechanical Vehicles (Bridges & Roads Tolls) (Amendment) Bill, 2013, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

5. **The Punjab Value Added Tax (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013**

The Deputy Chief Minister introduced the Punjab Value Added Tax (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, the following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :

1.	Shri Ashwani Sekhri, Indian National Congress	14 minutes
2.	Sardar Parminder Singh Dhindsa, Finance Minister	1 minute
3.	Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition	2 minutes
4.	Shri Deep Malhotra, Shiromani Akali Dal	7 minutes

The Deputy Chief Minister, by way of reply to discussion on the Bill, spoke for 10 minutes.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 11, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Deputy Chief Minister that "The Punjab Value Added Tax (Second Amendment) Bill, 2013, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

6. The Punjab Regional and Town Planning and Development (Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Deputy Chief Minister introduced the Punjab Regional and Town Planning and Development (Amendment) Bill, 2013, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, Hon'ble Member Shri N.K. Sharma, Chief Parliamentary Secretary, spoke for three minutes.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 and 3, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Deputy Chief Minister that "The Punjab Regional and Town Planning and Development (Amendment) Bill, 2013, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

7. The East Punjab War Awards (Amendment) Bill, 2013 (Replacing Ordinance)

The Parliamentary Affairs Minister introduced the East Punjab War Awards (Amendment) Bill, 2013, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 and 3, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the

vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Parliamentary Affairs Minister that "The East Punjab War Awards (Amendment) Bill, 2013, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

8. The Punjab Infrastructure (Development and Regulation) Bill, 2013 (Replacing Ordinance)

The Finance Minister introduced the Punjab Infrastructure (Development and Regulation) Bill, 2013, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 4, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Finance Minister that "The Punjab Infrastructure (Development and Regulation) Bill, 2013, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

9. The Indian Stamp (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2013 (Replacing Ordinance)

The Revenue & Rehabilitation Minister introduced the Indian Stamp (Punjab Amendment) Bill, 2013, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, the following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :

1. Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, Indian National Congress — 2 minutes
2. Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Parliamentary Affairs Minister — 1 minute

The Revenue and Rehabilitation Minister, by way of reply to discussion on the Bill, spoke for five minutes.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 and 3, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Revenue & Rehabilitation Minister that "The Indian Stamp (Punjab Amendment) Bill 2013, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

10. The Punjab Horse Race (Regulations and Management) Bill, 2013

The Deputy Chief Minister introduced the Punjab Horse Race (Regulations and Management) Bill, 2013, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, the following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :

1. Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, Indian National Congress — 4 minutes
2. Sardar Bikram Singh Majithia, Revenue & Rehabilitation Minister — 1 minute

The Deputy Chief Minister, by way of reply to the discussion on the Bill, spoke for two minutes.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 to 25, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Deputy Chief Minister that "The Punjab Horse Race (Regulations and Management) Bill, 2013, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

11. The Punjab Ancient, Historical Monuments, Archaeological Sites and Cultural Heritage Maintenance Board (Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Cultural Affairs and Tourism Minister introduced the Punjab Ancient, Historical Monuments, Archaeological Sites and Cultural Heritage Maintenance Board (Amendment) Bill, 2013, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 and 3, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Cultural Affairs and Tourism Minister that "The Punjab Ancient, Historical Monuments, Archaeological Sites and Cultural Heritage Maintenance Board (Amendment) Bill, 2013, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

12. The Punjab Police (Amendment) Bill, 2013 (Replacing Ordinance)

The Deputy Chief Minister introduced The Punjab Police (Amendment) Bill, 2013, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During discussion on the Bill, the following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :

1.	Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition	2 minutes
2.	Sardar Balbir Singh Sidhu, Indian National Congress	2 minutes
3.	Sardar Jagmohan Singh Kang, Indian National Congress	3 minutes

4 Sardar Virsa Singh Valtoha, 1 minute
Chief Parliamentary Secretary

The Deputy Chief Minister, by way of reply to discussion on the Bill, spoke for two minutes.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clauses 2 and 3, as there was no amendment therein, collectively, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried.

The motion moved by the Deputy Chief Minister that "The Punjab Police (Amendment) Bill, 2013, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

13. The Punjab State Cancer and Drug Addiction Treatment Infrastructure Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2013

The Health and Family Welfare Minister introduced the Punjab State Cancer and Drug Addiction Treatment Infrastructure Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2013, and also moved that the Bill be taken into consideration at once.

The motion was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

During Clause-wise consideration of the Bill, Sub-Clause (2) of Clause 1, Clause 2, Sub-Clause (1) of Clause 1 and Title were put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

The motion moved by the Health and Family Welfare Minister that "The Punjab State Cancer and Drug Addiction Treatment Infrastructure Fund (Amendment) Bill, 2013, be passed" was put to the vote of the House and carried unanimously.

11. Resolutions

1 The Resolution moved by Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Industries and Commerce, Technical Education and Industrial Training and Parliamentary Affairs Minister on 30.10.2013 that "This House strongly recommends that as the rates of eatables have gone

beyond the reach of common man and rising prices have over burdened the general public the poor people are in great distress. The Central Government is not paying any attention towards checking the rising prices. Due to rapidly increasing prices, poor people are finding it hard to pull on their daily lives. In the face of the rising burden of loans the farmers are opting for suicides and every section of the society is disheartened on account of the inflation. The State Government should urge the Central Government to take appropriate steps on this serious matter to check the rising prices" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During the discussion on the Resolution, the following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :

1.	Sardar Virsa Singh Valtoha, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	27 minutes
2.	Sardar Charanjit Singh Channi, Indian National Congress	10 minutes
3.	Shri Sunil Jakhar, Leader of the Opposition	21 minutes
4.	Jathedar Tota Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	5 minutes
5.	Shri Ashwani Sharma, Bharatiya Janata Party	9 minutes

2. The Resolution moved by Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Industries and Commerce, Technical Education and Industrial Training and Parliamentary Affairs Minister on 30.10.2013 that "This House feels that the drugs/ intoxicants smuggled from across the border are gripping most of the youth of the country especially, the Punjabi youth in its clutches. The BSF and other Central Agencies deputed on the International Border are not discharging their duties responsibly. The Government of India especially the Department of Home Affairs is not taking appropriate steps in this regard.

Therefore, this House strongly recommends to hold a discussion on this serious matter" was put to the vote of the House and carried.

During the discussion on the Resolution, the following Members took part in the discussion and spoke for the time as mentioned against their names :

1.	Sardar Virsa Singh Valtoha, Chief Parliamentary Secretary	19 minutes
2.	Sardar Sukhjinder Singh Randhawa, Indian National Congress	11 minutes
3.	Sardar Ajit Inder Singh Mofar, Indian National Congress	09 minutes
4.	Sardar Pargat Singh, Shiromani Akali Dal	02 minutes
5.	Sardar Jagmohan Singh Kang, Indian National Congress	01 minute
6.	Shri Ashwani Sekhri, Indian National Congress	01 minute

The Deputy Chief Minister, by way of reply to the discussion on the Resolution, spoke for 10 minutes.

Sardar Iqbal Singh Jhundan, Member, Panel of Chairmen, occupied the Chair from 4.07 PM to 4.11 PM and from 5.10 PM to 5.52 PM.

12. Extension of Time

With the consent of the House, the time of today's Sitting of the House was extended till the completion of today's Business.

The House then adjourned sine-die.

APPENDIX II

27.COMMITTEE

13. COMMITTEE NOMINATED BY THE SPEAKER

BUSINESS ADVISORY COMMITTEE

(Nominated on 21st October, 2013 under rule 208(1))

1.	Doctor Charanjit Singh Atwal, Speaker	Ex-officio Chairman
2.	Sardar Sukhbir Singh Badal, Deputy Chief Minister;	Member
3.	Shri Chunni Lal Bhagat, Minister for Forests and Wildlife & Labour;	Member
4.	Shri Madan Mohan Mittal, Minister for Parliamentary Affairs;	Member
5.	Sardar Parminder Singh Dhindsa, Minister for Finance; and	Member
6.	Shri Sunil Jakhar, MLA & Leader of the Opposition.	Member

SPECIAL INVITEES

1. Shri Manoranjan Kalia, MLA;
2. Smt. Rajinder Kaur Bhattal, MLA; and
3. Rana Gurmeet Singh Sodhi, MLA.

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